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U.S. COTTON AND TEXTILE STRIKE AT 11.30 TO-MORROW NIGHT

ROOSEVELT NOW THREATENED

BIG DRIVE ON RED BANDITS NOW PLANNED

Elimination Before November 12

MARSHAL CHIANG'S ORDER

(From Our Own Correspondent)
Canton, To-day.

Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, Chairman of the National Military Commission, has instructed the anti-Communist forces to clean up the Red elements in Kiangsi and Fukien before November 12, the birthday of Dr. Sun Yat-sen and the date of the convening of the Fifth National Congress of the Kuomintang.

This order has been issued by Marshal Chiang in his capacity as Commander-in-Chief of the anti-Communist forces. It is doubtful whether this order is applicable to the Kwangtung and Kwangsi troops now stationed in Kiangsi and Fukien. These detachments are known as the South Route Anti-Communist forces, of which General Chen Chi-tung is the Commander-in-Chief.

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PASSENGER TRAIN FUSILLADED

Bandit Scourge Again Near Changchun

Harbin, To-day.
Bandits have again wrecked and fusilladed a passenger train en route to Changchun. The first reports state that there are many casualties.—Reuter.

REBELS PENSIONED IN IRELAND

Civil War Sufferers To Be Aided

PARTY SPLIT AVERTED

Dublin, To-day.
The Irish Free State Senate yesterday passed the committee stage of a bill to provide pensions for the participants of the insurrection in 1916, and also for the sufferers of both sides in the civil war of 1922.

The threatened split in the United Ireland Party is believed to have been averted in consequence of blunt speaking at a private meeting of the executive, lasting until midnight.

Mr. William T. Cosgrave is credited with delivering a particularly forceful speech.—Reuter.

U.S. STAGE STARS BEREAVED

Charles B. Dillingham Passes At Age Of 66

New York, To-day.
The death occurred yesterday of Mr. Charles Bancroft Dillingham, the famous theatrical producer, at the age of 66.—Reuter.

Mr. Dillingham has been producing plays, mostly musical, since 1900, and has managed many prominent stars. He was manager of the Globe Theatre, on Broadway, and was a partner of E. L. Erlanger in more than 20 other theatres.

In 1917 he was a captain in the American Aviation Corps.

WEATHER FORECAST

Fair to showery, with moderate west or variable winds, was the weather forecast for to-day, as issued by the Royal Observatory this morning.



Rumours in Belgian government circles assert that Archduke Otto, above, pretender to the Austrian throne is planning to make a sudden dash by aeroplane from Belgium to Austria in the hope of establishing himself as King and ending the internal strife of the nation.

Tolpuddle Martyrs

COMMEMORATION THIS WEEK

Birth Of Trade Union Movement

London, To-day.

Many labour organisations, including the Trades Union Congress, are holding annual meetings near Dorchester this week to coincide with the Commemoration of the Centenary of the Tolpuddle Martyrs.

Tolpuddle is a small village near Dorchester, and in 1834 six farm labourers there, having combined together to have their wages raised to 10/- per week, were sentenced under the unrepented emergency act of 1797 to seven years' transportation for administering unlawful oath. Protests in (Continued on Page 12)

JAPAN BUYING RAW COTTON

Crop Estimate Larger Than Expected

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received August 31, 10.43 a.m.)

New York, To-day.

The Journal of Commerce report that the consumption of raw cotton in August totalled 425,000 bales, against 589,000 bales last August. It is desirable that cotton should be scarce.

Demand is better and there is some Japanese buying.

Messrs. E. J. Schwabach & Co. estimate the total crop at 9,415,000 bales, which is larger than had been expected.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

KIDNAPPERS AGAIN ACTIVE IN AMERICA

\$168,000 DEMANDED IN LETTER

EARLY ARREST MADE

New York, To-day.

Threats to kidnap one or all of President Roosevelt's grandchildren and to do bodily harm to the President himself have just been disclosed in the form of a letter addressed to Mrs. Roosevelt demanding payment of U.S.\$168,000.

The letter was not delivered to the President's wife, but was intercepted by Federal officials upon delivery at the White House.

It demanded the money to be paid in notes of small denominations.

Subsequently, the police arrested Benjamin Zarn, an ex-mechanic of the Naval Aviation Corps, in a Y.M.C.A. establishment in New York.—Reuter.

BIG BANKS SILENT ON MONEY "WAR" SITUATION "TOO TRICKY"

GOLD LEAPS TO NEW HIGH RECORD

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894, Received August 31, 7.04 a.m.)

London, To-day.

The very sharp rise in the price of gold to 140/3, an ounce, an increase of 10 1/2 d. is the highest level ever officially recorded. The previous highest price was 140/- on February 5.

The jump in the gold price is largely attributed to the foreign money deposited in London now exiting from sterling into gold and French francs.

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TRADING UNIT 5,000 OUNCES

Montreal, To-day.—Eleven seats on the newly-formed silver exchange here have been allotted to New York traders, while 15 others have been reserved. The United States trading unit will be 5,000 ounces.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

U.S.S.R. Silver Shipment For America

PRECEDENT ESTABLISHED

New York, Later.

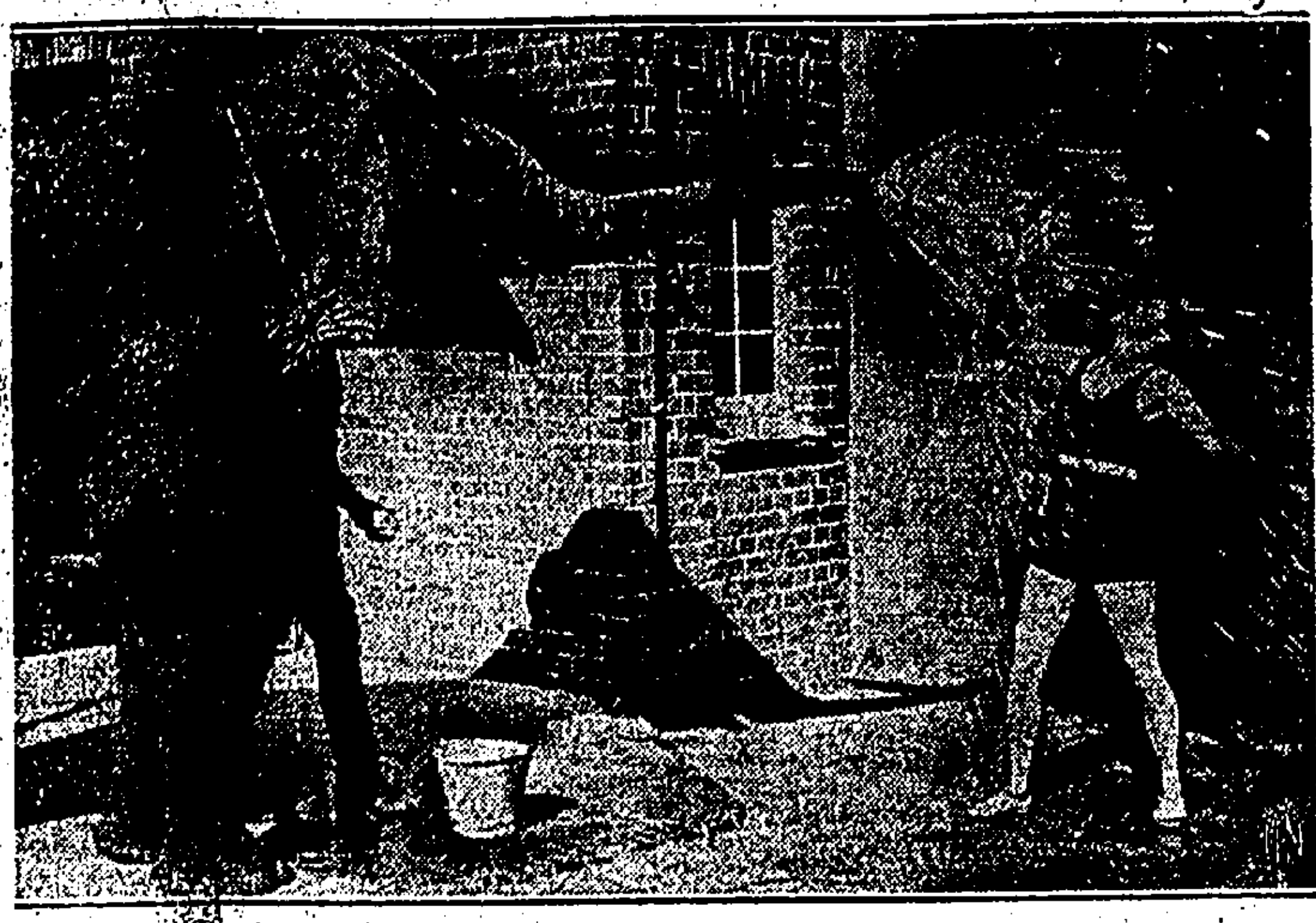
A shipment of 105 ingots of silver from Russia has arrived at the Chase Bank.

Silver experts state that it is probably the first silver consignment to arrive here from Russia in history.

It is understood that the Chase Bank is acting as agent for the Soviet State Bank and will use the silver to obtain dollar exchange to pay for imports from the United States.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

FREIGHT RATES PETITION

Washington, To-day.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has set October 1 to hear the United States railroad petition for an increase in freight rates.



Here is a new idea for a portable shower bath during these torrid days. "Rosie," an attraction at the Surrey Zoo in London, obliges when a bathing beauty appears properly attired for a shower.

LEADING GERMANY OUT OF THE MIRE

PRINCE GEORGE ANXIOUS TO ARRANGE WEDDING

Returning To England At End Of Next Week

London, To-day.
H.R.H. Prince George, who, with his fiancée Princess Marina, is the guest of Prince and Princess Paul of Yugoslavia at Lake Blud, is expected to return to England about the end of next week. He will then go to see His Majesty the King at Balmoral Castle to discuss the date of the marriage and other plans.—British Wireless Service.

SOUTH AFRICA COMPLETES WAR DEBT PAYMENT

\$7,500,000 REMITTED TO TREASURY

"GRATEFULLY ACCEPTED"

London, To-day.

The Union of South Africa will to-day complete the payment of her war debt to Great Britain with the remittance to the Treasury of a sum of \$7,500,000. The gesture is gratefully acknowledged in a statement issued by the Treasury yesterday.

The Treasury announcement states: "At the end of the war, the Union of South Africa owed some \$16,500,000 to this country in respect of a war debt which, by 1931, had been reduced by repayments to \$7,500,000. A sum of \$337,500 is payable annually on account of the interest on this debt." (Continued on Page 6).

SCHOOL FIRE DRILL THAT WAS REAL

London Factory Blazes Near Building

London, To-day.

During a fire which destroyed a large factory in Camden Town, London N.W., yesterday a warning was sent to a school nearby where 600 children were at lessons. The school fire alarm was sounded, and the children, who thought it was an ordinary fire drill, were marched out of the building in perfect order and then dismissed.

Later the school playground was used for one of the many water towers from which firemen fought the flames.—British Wireless Service.

LARGE-MINDED ACTION ONLY REMEDY SEEN

Hugo Schacht Tables His Cards

SEVERAL YEARS' MORATORIUM ON ALL DEBTS NEEDED

Berlin, To-day.

"Only large-minded action can lead Germany out of this hopeless position," declared the President of the Reichsbank, Dr. Hugo Schacht, yesterday, when, addressing the International Conference of Agrarian Science at which 20 countries are represented.

All that remained to do, he said, was to grant Germany a several years' moratorium on all debts. Simultaneously, the burden of Germany's foreign debts must be reduced to a level which, after the termination of the moratorium, she would be able to bear.

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GERMAN-AMERICAN RIPT

Bond Holders Not Given Equal Status

Washington, To-day.

The German Government has sent a note to the American State Department declining to place American holders of Dawes and Young loan bonds on an equal footing with holders of other nationalities.

The contents of the note are not disclosed, but it is learned that the points of view of the two Governments "remain far apart."—Reuter.

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ANTI-GERMAN BOYCOTT

Stern Warning Against Jews Abroad

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL

Berlin, To-day.

It is learned that a virtual complete prohibition of any relationship of Nazi Party members with Jews is contained in an order prepared by the German Minister without portfolio, Herr Rudolf Hess.

It is intended as a warning against the increase of the Jewish anti-German boycott abroad.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

"DYNAMITING" FISH SUSPECTED AT STANLEY

Man Hurt In Explosion Incident Last Night

Suffering from severe injuries caused by an explosion of dynamite, Li Kwai, of No. 82, Main Street, Stanley, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital last night.

The cause of the explosion is unknown, although it is suspected that the dynamite was used in connection with "dynamiting" fish.

"DANGEROUS" CANDIDATE IN CALIFORNIA

UPTON SINCLAIR'S SUCCESS

DEMOCRAT RANKS MAY BE DIVIDED

San Francisco, To-day.

Supporters of the "New Deal" have been placed in an embarrassing position by the near victory for the Governorship of California of the famous Socialist-novelist, Mr. Upton Sinclair.

Mr. Sinclair, who has long been a member of the Socialist Party, advocated the State taking over the idle land and closed factories for the benefit of the unemployed, the cost of which would be borne by heavy increases in income and inheritance taxes.

His success threatens a division in the ranks of the California Democrats, while the Republicans are waiting to pounce on his Socialist record if the Administration gives him support.

APPOINTMENT REQUESTED

Mr. Sinclair, who claims that the result of the Democratic primaries is a victory for the "New Deal," has wired to President Roosevelt requesting an appointment for a political conference.

President Roosevelt refused, but said that he would gladly receive Mr. Sinclair for a business talk.

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RECOVERY PROGRAMME WILL BE CONTINUED

Hyde Park, To-day.

President Roosevelt, in a speech to his neighbours, yesterday, pledged the continuation of the Recovery programme.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

ORDER SENT OUT

600,000 WILL BE EFFECTED BY WALK-OUT

Apathetic Response Predicted

OTHER INDUSTRY WORKERS STAND BY FOR ORDERS

"NEW DEAL" FACE BIG CRISIS

WASHINGTON, TO-DAY.

A GENERAL STRIKE IN THE COTTON TEXTILE INDUSTRY HAS BEEN CALLED AND BECOMES EFFECTIVE AT 11.30 O'CLOCK TO-MORROW NIGHT.

Workers in the wool, silk, artificial silk, and synthetic yarn industries have been ordered to stand by for orders.

The first working day, after the effective date of the general strike, will be September 4.

Washington, Later.

The Chairman of the Strike Committee of the United Textile Workers Union, Mr. Francis Gorman, has ordered the strike for 11.30 p.m. to-morrow. It affects 600,000 workers in 1,150 to 3,300 mills throughout the nation, and is the biggest strike in the annals of the "New Deal."

The strikers are demanding, firstly, a 30-hour week against the present 40-hour week.

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CODE CANNOT BE AMENDED

Industrial Warfare Threat Waived

GOVERNMENT ACTION

Washington, To-day.

The United States textile strike leaders have delivered an ultimatum to the Labour Relations Board stating that there is no hope of averting a strike without definite concessions by the employers.

Mr. Sloan, President of the Cotton and Textile Institute, declared that he cannot amend the Code under a threat of industrial warfare.

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"Violence Not Planned" COMMUNISTS TO BE STAMPED DOWN

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Washington, Later.

The mediator in the United States textile industry dispute, Mr. Garrison, has made a last-minute effort to avert the strike by conferring with the labour leaders, after which the strike leader, Mr. Francis Gorman, said: "We shall not do anything until and if the industry make a definite concession."

Mr. Garrison pointed out that there was slight chance of averting a strike, and said that the Union workers had refused a truce pending a joint N. R. A. Department of Labour and Labour Board inquiry.

Meanwhile, Mr. Gorman pointed out that they were not planning violence.

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MAIL SCHEDULES

INWARD MAILS.

FROM EUROPE
 Aug.
 Hosang (via Negapatam) 31
 Menestheus (Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service) Sept. 1
 Prominent (Air Mail ex Marseilles) 1
 Rawalpindi (via Suez) 5

FROM JAPAN

Aug.
 Pres. Adams 31
 Suwa Maru 31
 Arizona Maru Sept. 4
 Sydney Maru 5
 Calcutta Maru 6
 Corfu 7
 General Sherman 7
 Nagara Maru 7
 Lyons Maru 8
 Pres. Jackson 8

FROM AMERICA & CANADA

Aug.
 Pres. Adams 31
 Sept.
 Pres. Jackson 7

FROM MANILA

Aug.
 Pres. Jefferson 31
 Nankin Sept. 1

FROM SHANGHAI

Aug.
 Pres. Adams 31
 Suwa Maru 31
 Luchow Sept. 1
 Troilus 1
 Corfu 7
 General Sherman 7
 Pres. Jackson 7
 Tyndareus 8

FROM STRAITS

Aug.
 Menestheus 31
 Genta Rosso Sept. 2
 Morioka Maru 3
 Bangalore 4
 Takada 5

FROM INDIA

Aug.
 Takada Sept. 5

FROM AUSTRALIA

Sept.
 Nankin 7

OUTWARD MAILS.

FOR EUROPE
 Pres. Jefferson (via Siberia) Aug. 31
 Close: Reg. 4.15 p.m. Ord. 5 p.m.
 Suwa Maru (via Marseilles) Sept. 1
 Close: Reg. 8.45 a.m. Ord. 9.30 a.m.
 Talma (Imperial Airways Service) Sept. 1
 Asama Maru (via Siberia) 4
 Sydney Maru (via Brisbane) 5
 Emp. of Russia (via Siberia) 7
 FOR JAPAN
 Aug.
 Pres. Jefferson 31
 Asama Maru Sept. 4
 Empress of Russia 7
 FOR MANILA
 Aug.
 Pres. Adams 31
 Tada Sept. 1
 Tjandane 4
 FOR AMERICA AND CANADA
 Aug.
 Pres. Jefferson 31
 Asama Maru Sept. 1
 Empress of Russia 7
 FOR SHANGHAI
 Aug.
 Pres. Jefferson 31
 Genta Rosso Sept. 1
 Asama Maru 4
 Empress of Russia 7
 FOR STRAITS & INDIA
 Sept. 1
 Suwa Maru 1
 Arizona Maru 4
 Corfu 8
 FOR AUSTRALIA
 Sept. 1
 Tada 1
 Sydney Maru 5

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The Woman's Page

GREY-FLANNEL SUITS

New Colour Schemes

London. Cowes fashions will follow the newer trends. In addition to the navy serge, white-wool coats, and brass buttons, there are very young-looking and immaculately tailored suits in the orthodox grey flannel, and a new shade of green-grey flannel has a faint white stripe which is most attractive. The slim skirt, with its front and back pleat, has a hip-length coat with the one-linked fastening of green and chromium and two smaller ornaments of the same on the turn-back masculine cuff. Worn with a white tailored silk shirt, felt or panama hat with green ribbon, complete with gloves of white to match shoes, this newest flannel shade is good. Navy-blue flannel suits will also be seen, and some of these are striped. Another novelty this season is he knitted navy blouse-like bodice and skirt, with white belt and a three-quarter Raglan type of coat of white cloth or linen. The light coat with dark suit may look a little strange at Cowes, yet, if weather permits, it will be a striking fashion point. If the sun shines, ultrasimple white or natural coloured linen suits will also be worn.

Though not so cool, tailored linen is much smarter than shantung, at least for regatta times. These linen-tweeds are also very smart in colours. Black with white points is chic, so is a linen-tweed in black with polka dots of white.

PARISIAN FASHION NOTE

Paris. The Honorable Mrs. Holman, daughter of Lord Tyrrell who recently retired as British ambassador to France, wears a bright red blouse with her new black costume. The blouse, of red taffeta embroidered in white dots, adds an effective splash of colour to the ensemble of black striped silk.

TYPHOON SIGNALS.

Signal	Day	Night	Description
1	T	WHITE	Depression or typhoon which may affect the locality.
2	—	WHITE	Strong wind with rain, possibly from N.W. (S.W.).
3	⊥	GREEN	Strong wind with rain, possibly from N.E. (S.E.).
4	◆	WHITE	Typhoon, day, but danger to locality not imminent.
5	▲	WHITE	Day, expected from the N.W. (S.W.).
6	▼	GREEN	Day, expected from the S.W. (N.W.).
7	I	GREEN	Day, expected from the N.E. (S.E.).
8	●	WHITE	Day, expected from the S.E. (N.E.).
9	X	GREEN	Day, expected to increase.
10	+	RED	Wind upland expected (any direction).

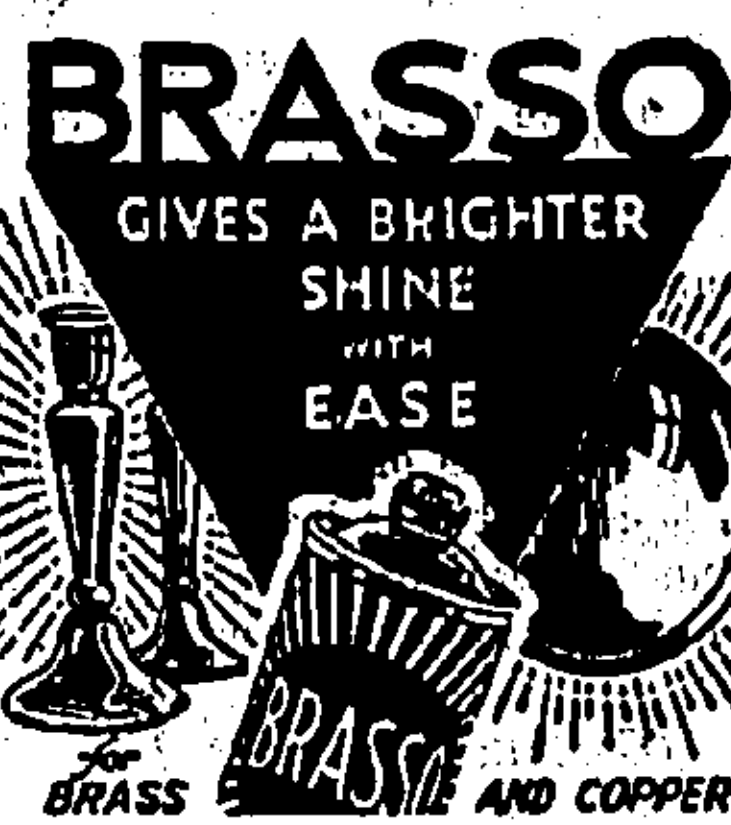


White satin, cool to the body, striking to the gaze, fashions this evening gown which is particularly designed for the young miss. The beautifully draped ostrich cape, when removed, reveals a bodice with a "V" neckline and little open caplet sleeves featuring bands of self fabric.

AN INNOVATION FOR THE BEACH.

Grey And Black Returns

Paris. Paris is featuring yellow, especially to wear with all-black and with white. This again is an innovation for the sea. Nothing will look smarter than a rough-surface cotton fabric, made with a three-quarter length unlined coat and worn over a double-breasted waistcoat of mustard colour knitted silk. One of the new berets in yellow cloth should be worn, with gloves to match. Another quiet colour not easy wear is grey. In cotton-cloths, linen mixtures and fancy organdie, grey is cool and unusual. The new way is to wear grey with black accessories instead of white. A trim grey linen will have a black felt hat, antelope gloves, pochette and shoes of black. The grey and black vogue was a great favourite in the 'nineties, and appeared again in Edwardian times. Then it did not come into the youthful category, but to-day it is being worn by young people.



Navy And Taffeta In Vogue

Simplicity In Paris Summer Wear

SPOTTED SURAH CLOVES

Paris. Sunshine puts the "spot-light" on details of fashion during these mid-summer days in Paris. Wherever one walks, on the Grands Boulevards, up and down the Champs Elysees, or through the Bois, a renaissance in simplicity seems to attract the eye.

A wave of navy blue is always more or less normal, but it is new in taffeta for an ensemble with half-length black coat entirely composed of quilted lines and wrapped across the figure in front.

It looks different too, from navy blue suits with touches of white in the nature of little flat collars and cuffs.

White Organdie On Navy

The touch of white organdie on navy, however, struck a new note from the bow-tie persuasion.

It looked like a miniature sheer in full sail and was merely a wide strip of double organdie stitched

at the borders and knotted once only at the front neckline with one end set "north-east" and the other "south-west."

The single knotting process seemed an ingenious method of avoiding crumpling.

Smartness in Gloves. A pair of gloves in dark red, white spotted surah looked smart in gauntlet form to match a blouse worn with black suit; the spots were fairly large.

Fabric gloves of the spotted or patterned surah and tie-silk variety match a bow-tie or hat with a dark in plain coloured suit. They are smartest for day wear in dark red, with black, navy or grey.

Dark red with grey is the new fashion in contrasts. It looks extremely smart when the red is suggested as a minor note.

A little black taffeta jacket of the semi-fitted kind, with flared peplum is worn over a floral printed Chine frock—one of the small garden prints in gay colours and a belted jumper style. Tartan checked taffetas are smart in two colours, such as black and yellow.



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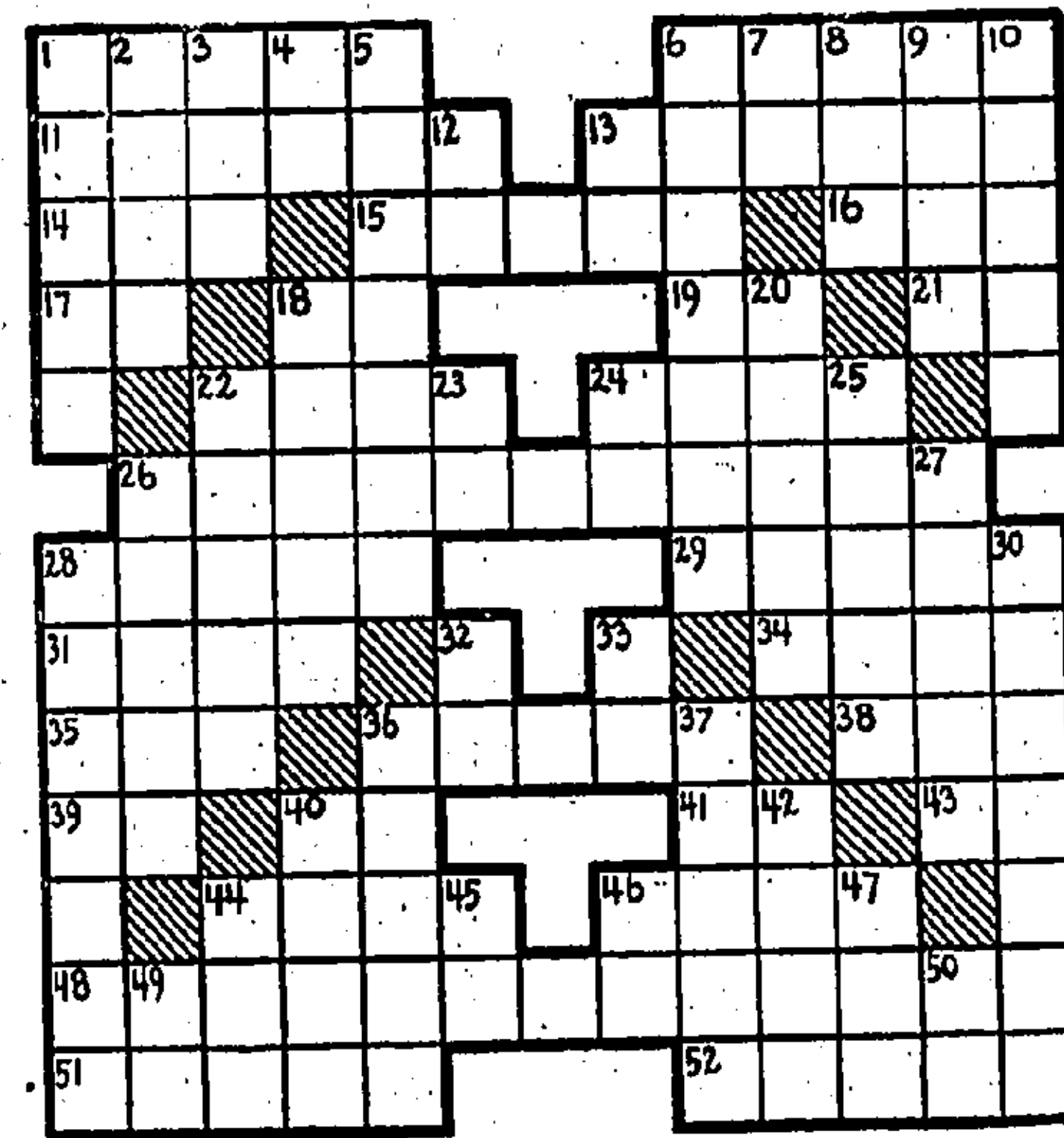


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DAILY CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

This cross-word puzzle has been made by an expert but our readers are warned to look out for occasional phonetic spelling, such as harbor, plow, and altho.



HORIZONTAL

1-Antic
 5-Grates
 11-Engaged in a riot
 13-Deeds
 14-Unseen
 15-Fountain
 16-Eternity
 17-Bone (Lat.)
 18-Prefix, Twice
 19-I am (Contr.)
 21-Preposition
 22-Fruit of the pine
 24-A kind of cheese
 28-A clause inserted in brackets
 29-Ventures
 29-Narrow strip of leather
 31-Epochs
 34-Bribe
 35-Joined
 35-Dress with the back
 38-A title
 39-Because
 40-One hundred one (Rom.)

HORIZONTAL (Cont.)

41-Comparative suffix
 43-No date (abbr.)
 44-To the sheltered side
 45-Opens (Post.)
 48-Decision
 51-Slings around
 52-Makes a loan
 1-Hum in a low, monotonous manner
 2-Assault
 3-Seed covering
 4-And (Lat.)
 5-Makes pure
 6-Abides
 7-Near by
 8-Saints (abbr.)
 9-Plan
 10-A title (Sp.)
 12-Act
 13-A city thoroughfare (abbr.)
 18-Wearless

VERTICAL (Cont.)

20-Part of a ship (pl.)
 22-Unit of weight for gems
 23-Half an em
 24-Interjection
 25-Sinks to mud
 26-Remove the skin
 27-A dress material
 28-Command
 30-Liberates
 32-Conjunction
 33-Exit
 35-Wharfs
 37-Kingdom between Tibet and India
 40-A help in the solution of a mystery
 42-Network (Lat.)
 44-Corroded
 45-Printer's measure
 46-Ahead
 47-Evil
 49-The (Sp.)
 50-Ordinance Department (abbr.)

The solution of the above with a new cross-word puzzle will appear in to-morrow's issue.

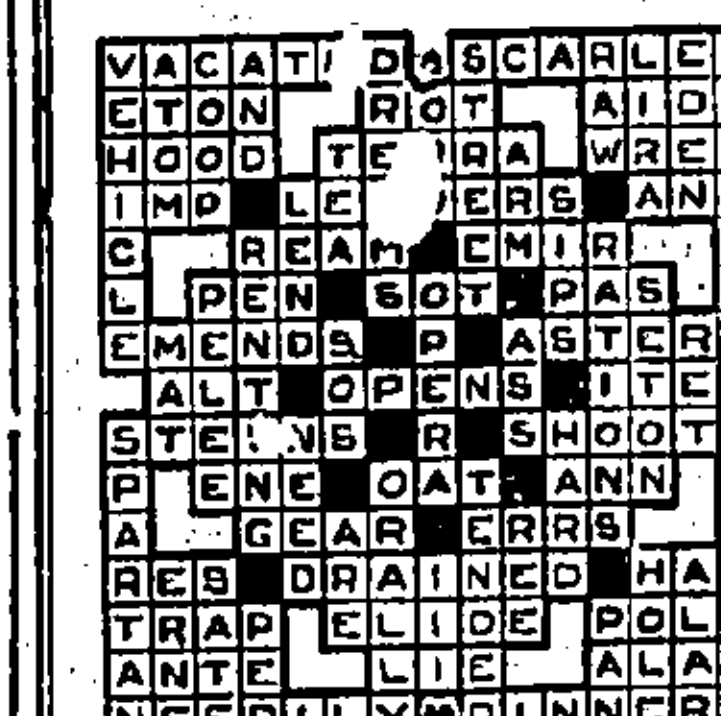
TENNIS SHORTS UNBECOMING

Mlle Lenglen's View On Subject

London. This little incident, of course, served to revise some discussion on the tennis "shorts" topic. Mlle Lenglen, who has been a regular visitor to this year's Wimbledon, does not like the latest tennis mode and considers that "shorts at Wimbledon are unbecoming to women players."

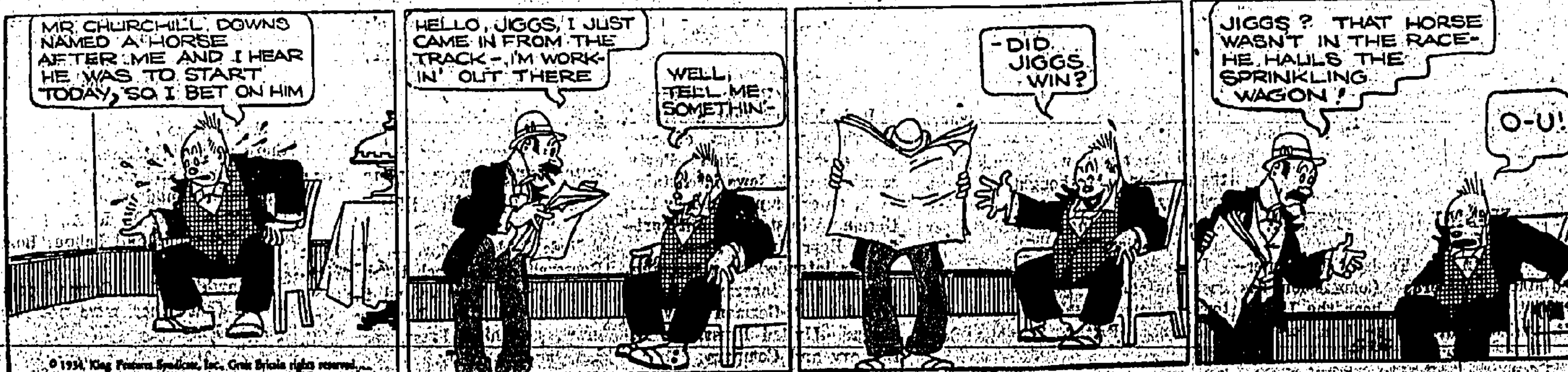
She had other interesting things to say about the last championships and it is her opinion that the standard of play among women, this year, is not as high as it was in her time. "The footwork, nowadays, is terrible," she declared. "That is really the most important

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTION



part of the game. No player can improve unless she can use her feet as well as her head and racket." Asked whether she ever wished that she were back on the court, she replied: "I have never been happier in my life than now, merely as a spectator. The strain of playing is a terrible ordeal."

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BRIDGE NOTES

DUPLICATE BRIDGE

by Ely Culbertson.

England has taken up the game of Duplicate Bridge with almost as much enthusiasm as America. The team-of-four game, which is the ideal form of Duplicate, is especially popular, and matches between various cities have created additional interest.

One of the hands in a team-of-four match between Liverpool players and a team representing the British Bridge World was:

East dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.
North—
S—K J 9
H—K 7 6 5
D—J 10 3 2
C—10 4

West—
S—A 8
H—J 9 4
D—K 8 6
C—J 9 3 2

East—
S—Q 10 6 4
H—A Q 10 8 3 2
D—A 9
C—5
South—
S—7 5 3 2
H—
D—Q 7 5 4
C—A K Q 7 6

The bidding in Room 1 was:
East South West North
1H 2S Dbl. 2NT
3H Pass Pass Pass
The bidding in Room 2 was:
East South West North
1H 2C Dbl. Pass
Pass Pass

It is not necessary to point out that this hand was not properly bid in either room. East's Opening bid is, of course, correct, but South's vulnerable Overcall of two clubs is, to say the least, very questionable. It is extremely doubtful if the hand has any future whatever, and South may well be doubled for penalties and suffer a heavy loss even at the range of two. On the whole, the risk of a Penalty Double is greater than the hope of making the contract.

In Room 1 it will be noted that North made an even worse bid when he called two notrump over West's Double of the two-club bid. East's failure to double two notrump after his partner had doubled two clubs was another mistake in the bidding.

At least, if he was unwilling to double, he should have passed and permitted his partner in the West to take further action. This course would have resulted in a penalty of from 1400 to 2000 points as West unquestionably, with his reasonable fit in hearts and other strength, would have doubled the two-notrump contract as he did that of two clubs. As it was, East and West stopped short of a game contract.

In Room 2, where South played the hand at two clubs, doubled, North and South lost 500 points.

POLICEMAN'S CAR STRIPPED

New Orleans.
Policeman Frank Perignon was very proud of his automobile. To keep anyone from stealing it, he parked the car near the corner where the direct traffic.
One day he was so busy that he failed to notice a thief strip the car of parts and tires.

RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcasted to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station (L.B.W. on a wave length of 355 metres (845 K.C.'s):—

1-2.15 p.m.—European Programme.
1 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

1.03 p.m.—Recorded Music.
1.15 p.m.—A Relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room (by courtesy of the Management).

1.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby Press News, etc.

2.15 p.m.—Close Down.

A TALK ON "CLEMENCEAU" FROM THE STUDIO.

CLASSICAL PROGRAMME.

4-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.

7-10.40 p.m.—European Programme.

7 p.m.—Closing Local Stock Quota-

tions, London & New York Stock & Commodity Quotations.

7.08-7.30 p.m.—Variety.

Song—
What more can I ask—
Brighter than the Sun
Anona Winn (Soprano).

Hand—
The Gay Nineties—Waltz Medley
Debroy Somers Band.

Song—
Why can't this night go on forever?
Farewell to arms
Charles Carlsle (Tenor).

7.30-8 p.m.—From the Studio
Kanis.

A Pianoforte Recital by Mrs. Mura Kanis.

Programme.

1. Schumann's Carnival, Op. No. 9.

(a) Preamble; (b) Pierrot; (c) Arlequin; (d) Valse Noble; (e) Euse-

bias; (f) Florestan; (g) Coquette; (h) Replique-Pavillon; (i) Lettres

Dansantes; (j) Charentaise; (k) Chopin;

(l) Estrella; (m) Reconnaisance; (n) Paniklon et Colombier; (o) Valse

Allemande-Paganini; (p) Aveu; (q) Promenade; (r) Pause; (s) Marche

des Davidbundler.

2. Cradle Song—Brahms.

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.

8.03-8.28 p.m.—Light Orchestral Music.

In Spring—
Overture (Goldmark)

Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra.

Along the Banks of the Volga

(Borchert)

Marek Weber & His Orchestra.

You shall be the King of my Heart

(Stolz)

Marek Weber & His Orchestra.

Policeman's Holiday (Ewing)

Parade of the Tin Soldiers (Jessel)

New Light Symphony Orchestra.

8.28-8.45 p.m.—Vocal Gems from

Light Operas.

Lilac Time (Schubert)

Columbia Light Opera Company.

A Country Girl (Monekton)

Columbia Light Opera Company.

8.45-9 p.m.—A Violin Recital by

Renée Chenevix.

Introduction et Ronde Capriccioso

(Saint-Saens, Op. 28).

Serenade (Pierrot).

Serenade (Toselli).

9-9.30 p.m.—From the Studio.

A Talk on "Clemenceau" by Mr. H. C. Macnamara.

9.30 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins, London 1 p.m. Stock & Commodity

Quotations.

9.35-10.30 p.m.—Classical Concert.

Flute Concerto (Mozart).

John Amadio.

Andante and Finale.

Orchestral—
"Ruins of Athens"—
Overture (Beethoven)

The Pablo Casals Symphony

Orchestra conducted by Pablo Casals.

Orchestral—
"Ruins of Athens"—
Turkish March (Beethoven)

Vienna Philharmonic Orchestra con-

ducted by Karl Alwin.

Concerto in B Flat Major

(Brahms, Op. 83)

Arthur Rubinstein (Pianoforte) and

The London Symphony Orchestra con-

ducted by Albert Coates.

1st Movement—Allegro non troppo.

2nd — Allegro appassionato.

3rd — Andante.

4th — Allegretto grazioso.

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9.10.40 p.m.—Reuter Press Bulletins,

Rugby Mid-day Press News, Further

London Stock & Commodity Quota-

tions, followed by New York Opening

Quotations.

10.40 p.m.—Close Down.

DOUBLE MURDER AT "ROBERT MORRISON" SHAMSHUPO

Young Chinese Who Was Thwarted In Marriage

SUMMARY TRIAL OPENED

The murder of a young Chinese couple at 211, Laichikok Road, Shamshupo, on July 21 formed the basis of a charge against a young Christian Chinese, Keung Chi-pan, before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

"The accused man apparently had relations with the murdered girl before she came to live with the other man, and that we suggest, is the motive for the crime," said Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor, conducting the proceedings for the Crown.

Objections, one of which was the Chinese ban against marriage between a couple bearing the same surname, appeared to have been up-held by the family of the girl, said the Assistant Crown Solicitor. The accused had interviewed the girl's father, but without success, although he pointed out that it was wrong for her to live with any other man after having lived with him. He then threatened, in the hearing of the father, to kill the girl. The crime is alleged to have

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taken place at about 2.30 a.m. on the morning of July 21. It is suggested that the accused entered the floor and stabbed both the deceased man and girl through the heart. The woman was heard to cry out and the male deceased managed to get to the window but collapsed there. Accused was later arrested.

The hearing was adjourned until Tuesday next.

NEW MOTOR ROAD

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Coincident with the approval by the Legislative Council of a vote of \$752,000, renewed activity has been apparent at North Point, where the Government is pushing through a scheme to make a new road with a width of a hundred feet, between Causeway Bay and the Ming Yuen Gardens.

Much has been done in recent years to improve traffic conditions on Shauiwan Road, at certain points of which motor traffic—in fact, almost all vehicular traffic—has been difficult and sometimes dangerous. With the development of North Point, this has been particularly necessary, but the efforts of the Roads Office of the Public Works Department have made possible the widening of the road at every convenient section.

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The Shensi Provincial Government has decided to buy the latest equipment for a powerful electricity plant to be erected in Shensi, according to a Chinese message from Sian.

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Sporting Page

CRAIGENGOWER SKIP CLAIMS THREE SHOTS AT KOWLOON B.G.C.

FIELD BEATS BRADBURY IN CLUB TOURNEY

CRAIGENGOWER TITLE GAME

LATEST CLUB RESULTS

With the return of sunny weather some progress has been made in the intra-club matches with interesting results.

W. Field eliminated B. W. Bradbury, one of the favourites in the Singles championship of the Craiengower C.C., while H. Beer, the champion, beat G. Duncan in the Third Round.

The Singles, handicap and Pairs competitions have both reached the semi-final round.

At the Kowloon Bowling Green the Handicap Pairs and Non-Prize Winners' competitions have now reached the semi-final rounds.

The Talkoo Docks R. C. have introduced a new competition, the Singles handicap.

Latest results of the Club competitions are as follows:

TAIKOO DOCKS R.C.

Reid Shield Competition:

Semi-final round—R. M. Keown's rink (A. McArthur, Mrs. Stewart and J. J. Whyte) beat C. R. Matthews's rink (A. Park, Mrs. Whyte and W. G. Brown).

Pairs:

Semi-final—T. F. Stainton and E. E. Wilson beat N. Drummond and R. Wright.

Singles Handicap:

R. Wright (+2) beat E. E. Wilson (+3).

W. Cunningham (-2) beat A. W. Norrie (scr.).

CRAIGENGOWER C.C.

Singles:

Third Round—H. Beer and G. Duncan.

Fourth Round—W. Field beat B. W. Bradbury; A. Marchant beat W. Ward.

Singles Handicap:

J. Cavanagh (-5) beat A. Marchant (-2).

Semi-final—J. Cavanagh (-5) beat W. Field (-5).

Pairs:

Third Round—A. E. Coates and H. Milton beat J. Cavanagh and H. Randle.

Semi-final—G. Duncan and Y. Abbas beat J. Cavanagh and H. Randle; U. M. Omar and F. K. Modi beat C. S. Rossetti and W. K. Way.

CIVIL SERVICE C.C.

Singles Handicap:

Third Round—F. J. Jones (-7) beat W. E. Simmonds (-1).

Semi-final—F. J. Jones (-7) beat P. E. Knight (-2).

KOWLOON BOWLING GREEN

Handicap Singles:

Fourth Round—J. G. Meyer (-2) beat P. J. A. Hamilton (-2).

President's Cup:

Fourth Round—R. Hall beat J. Roberts.

Vice-President's Cup:

J. H. Budding beat S. Randle.

Handicap Pairs:

Semi-final—W. Chambers and H. F. Stoneham (-1) beat S. Randle and R. Hall (-2); J. Meloy and T. Bright (-7) beat T. Armstrong and C. B. Hosking (-3).

Club Championship:

Fourth Round—J. G. Meyer beat J. C. Brown (21-9).

Non-Prize Winner's Competition:

Semi-final—J. Meloy beat P. J. A. Hamilton.

SELECTED TEAMS FOR TO-MORROW

The following are selected teams for to-morrow's Lawn Bowls League fixtures:

SENIOR DIVISION

Craiengower "B" F. Tuck, M. J. Medina, A. Marchant and J. Cavanagh (skip).
P. E. Knight, S. Alderman, R. Ecclesall and S. Deakin (skip).
G. Duncan, H. Milton, W. Gill and A. A. Lewis (skip).

SENIOR DIVISION

R. Ellis, G. Perkins, W. Mair and G. Moss (skip).
J. Nolan, R. Dowman, H. Shephard and W. E. Hollands (skip).
J. Fender, T. Talton, J. Booker and A. Clark (skip).

CIVIL SERVICE

W. E. Simmonds, C. Strange, A. O. Brown and F. J. Jones (skip).
P. E. Knight, S. Alderman, R. Ecclesall and S. Deakin (skip).
T. Armstrong, L. Whant, A. W. Grimmit and J. Hollidge (skip).

SECOND DIVISION

Civil Service H. Major, H. Williams, J. Purvis and R. E. Wood (skip).
G. Gunn, E. W. Hamilton, H. Lock-

WOOD MOVED DURING MEASURE

CHAMPIONS LOSE GAME BY FOUR SHOTS

(By SHORT HEAD)

THE MATCH BETWEEN THE KOWLOON BOWLING GREEN CLUB AND THE CRAIGENGOWER "A" TEAM ON SATURDAY WAS EXPECTED TO BE A "NEEDLE" GAME, AND ENTHUSIASTS WERE NOT DISAPPOINTED. THE STANDARD OF BOWLING WAS HIGH THROUGHOUT, AND THERE IS NO DOUBT THAT IF MATCHES OF THIS KIND WERE PLAYED MORE OFTEN, BOWLING WOULD BECOME LOCALLY EVEN MORE POPULAR THAN IT IS AT PRESENT.

There is much however than can be done to make the game more interesting, simply by abiding by the rules and exercising a little more care and thought.

Enthusiasm is commendable, but not when it necessitates the next player asking for the opportunity to deliver his wood. The mat is on the green for a purpose, and its correct use would help everybody to bowl from scratch: at present there are one or two individuals receiving handicaps.

CHAMPION MAY TAKE LEAD

Craiengower "B" To Visit Kowloon

POLICE CHALLENGE INDIANS

(By SHORT HEAD)

Of the matches due for decision this week, only one is of vital importance—the fixture between the champions Kowloon Bowling Green Club and Craiengower "B" at Kowloon, which should enable the Bowling Green again to draw ahead of Craiengower "A", who are not engaged.

The Civil Service, Police, and Recreio should all record home wins.

In the Junior Division, the match between the Indian Recreation Club and the Police Recreation Club at Sookunpo is likely to prove exciting.

The Police juniors, I know, are very confident of again defeating the Indians, but they will have to play extremely well to win. The Indians have yet to be defeated at home this season.

The Electric should complete the "double" over the Civil Service, while the Kowloon Bowling Green Club and Kowloon Cricket Club should do likewise against the Yacht Club and Club de Recreio, respectively.

The Football Club, if they can reproduce last week's form, may cause an upset by accounting for Craiengower, last season's champions.

To-morrow's Fixtures

Postponed from June 2 owing to bad weather the following Lawn Bowls League fixtures will be played to-morrow.

SENIOR DIVISION

C.S.C.C. (87) v TAIKOO (47)
K.B.G.C. (-) v C.C.C. "B" (-)
POLICE (87) v K. DOCK (74)
RECREIO (46) v K.C.C. (73)

JUNIOR DIVISION

H.K.E.R.C. (52) v C.S.C.C. (66)
B.H.K.Y.C. (61) v K.B.G.C. (47)
I.R.C. (41) v POLICE (71)
K.C.C. (50) v RECREIO (63)
H.K.F.C. (-) v C.C.C. (-)

Last season's results are shown in brackets.

SENIOR DIVISION

hant and L. Luck (skip).
J. Goldley, M. Purvis, H. Westlake and R. E. Davies (skip).
Craiengower A. Coelho, Y. Abbas, J. Fraser and Dr. V. N. Allenza (skip).

JUNIOR DIVISION

J. W. Leonard, W. Phelps, W. K. Way and L. C. R. Sousa (skip).
J. R. Soares, W. Atkins, H. W. Randle and E. C. Barry (skip).

POLICE R.C.

W. McLeod, L. Glendening, J. Mc-Walter and A. E. Carey (skip).
W. Forrest, J. Canning, J. S. Riddell and N. Glendening (skip).
W. S. Hall, S. Farlow, J. S. Logan and W. McHardy (skip).



A. W. Grimmit (Civil Service) is confident that the lay is in his favour, although the wood coming up upset things in reality. A scene during the match in which the Civil Servants trounced the Police by 79 shots to 46 last Saturday. Wally Mair is the other skip. (King's Studio).

BAD LUCK DOGS POLICE

Rearranged Rink Fails Against C.S.C.C.

OTHER RINKS SHOW STRONG FORM

For a few weeks prior to last Saturday, the Police Recreation Club were playing remarkably good bowls, as evidenced by their defeat of the champions, and they were fully expected to defeat the Civil Service, or at least give them a good run.

Events proved otherwise, however, and the Civil Service won by 33 shots.

There is some excuse for the Police. It was due to the failure of one rink that they went down so heavily, W. E. Hollands losing to F. J. Jones by 31 shots.

Usually so strong, Hollands' rink were robbed of a lot of power by the absence of Shepherd, who was taken ill, thereby necessitating a re-arrangement.

F. Kelly deputised, coming in at No. 2 while C. Downman played lead, and E. G. Post went No. 3, but there is no doubt that the unaccustomed positions had a detrimental effect on their play.

Even On Other Rinks

A. R. Clarke's four won by 3 shots from A. O. Brown, while G. C. Moss lost to J. Hollidge by 5—only 2 shots difference on these two rinks—so it is obvious that to (Continued on Page 5)

SHANGHAI HAVE TOO MANY SKIPS

Selectors Criticised

A Shanghai newspaper criticises the selection of the Interport Bowls team of that city as containing too many skips rather than giving preference to players who are seen regularly in the other positions.

An instance of this fault is cited in a Club's bad defeat in the Mercury Cup competition through playing four skips in the one rink. The lead and No. 2 more often than not had been responsible for many a victory, so why were they not kept in their positions, asked the journal.

LEWIS' DEBUT AS SKIP

B. W. BRADBURY'S C.C.C. "A"

Two players made their debuts as skips in the Senior League last Saturday. A. A. Lewis, who skipped for Craiengower "B" moved up from the junior team and did extremely well to lead his team to victory against an old hand like R. P. Phillips (K.B.G.C.), winning his first game by 20 shots to 16.

Lewis, who was playing in place of E. el Arculli, again figures as skip in the Senior Division this Saturday. The rink's victory is even more meritorious when it is realised that another junior division player, J. W. Leonard, was No. 1 in the rink, playing in place of A. E. Marchant.

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GUY'S RINK CLOSELY CHALLENGED

The following is a complete record of every skip in both leagues to date:

First Division	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.
L. Guy (K.B.G.C.)	14	12	2	0	86	0
U. M. Omar (C.C.C. "A")	13	11	2	0	107	0
B. W. Bradbury (C.C.C. "A")	13	10	3	0	103	0
J. Deakin (C.S.C.C.)	12	9	2	1	60	0
C. G. Silva (Recreio)	10	8	3	0	59	0
W. S. Drake (K.B.G.C.)	11	7	4	0	41	0
W. Macfarlane (K.B.G.C.)	14	7	7	0	0	0
R. Bass (C.C.C. "A")	10	6	4	0	42	0
J. McKelvie (K.B.G.C.)	10	6	4	0	0	25
J. C. Chalmers (Talkoo D.R.C.)	11	6	5	0	4	0
C. S. Rossetti (C.C.C. "B")	11	6	5	0	0	12
R. P. Phillips (K.C.C.)	12	6	6	0	1	0
J. Cavanagh (C.C.C. "B")	10	5	4	1	12	0
F. X. Silva (Recreio)	11	5	5	1	0	11
J. Fraser (K.C.C.)	11	5	6	0	0	10
F. J. Jones (C.S.C.C.)	13	5	8	0	0	0
W. Hollidge (C.S.C.C.)	5	4	1	0	51	0
A. R. Clarke (Police)	7	4	3	0	14	0
A. W. Grimmit (C.S.C.C.)	8	4	4	0	0	0
N. Drummond (Talkoo D.R.C.)	9	4	5	0	0	24
W. E. Hollands (Police)	10	4	6	0	0	17
J. C. Brown (K.B.G.C.)	10	4	5	1	0	13
D. Munro (Talkoo D.R.C.)	7	3	4	0	0	18
R. Wallace (Talkoo D.R.C.)	7	3	4	0	0	29
G. Moss (Police)	10	3	7	0	0	36
R. F. Luz (C.C.C. "A")	3	2	1	0	7	0
R. Hall (K.B.G.C.)	3	2	1	0	4	0
A. H. Basto (Recreio)	6	2	4	0	0	8
W. Mair (Police)	6	2	4	0	0	14
W. Greig (K.B.G.C.)	10	2	7	1	0	61
A. E. Silkstone (K.C.C.)	12	2	9	1	0	71
A. A. Lewis (C.C.C. "B")	1	1	0	0	4	0
E. el Arculli (C.C.C. "B")	2	1	1	0	0	7
W. GHI (C.C.C. "B")	4	1	3	0	0	15
C. Summons (C.C.C. "B")	4	1	3	0	0	20
R. McKeown (Talkoo D.R.C.)	5	1	4	0	0	29
C. J. Tacchi (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	1
A. O. Brown (C.S.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	3
R. Lapsley (K.B.G.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	18
F. E. Booker (Police)	1	0	1	0	0	20
W. Field (C.C.C. "B")	1	0	1	0	0	20
E. G. Post (Police)	2	0	2	0	0	23
C. E. Marques (Recreio)	2	0	2	0	0	34
F. V. V. Riberio (Recreio)	2	0	2	0	0	41
W. Headley (K.D.R.C.)	2	0	2	0	0	20
Second Division	P.	W.	L.	D.	F.	A.
A. E. Carey (Police)	14	12	2	0	97	0
A. R. Dallah (I.R.C.)	13	11	2	0	79	0
K. M. Omar (I.R.C.)	14	9	5	0	47	0
G. E. F. Thompson (K.B.G.C.)	14	8	4	2	58	0
H. Overy (K.C.C.)	9	7	1	1	58	0
A. M. Wahab (I.R.C.)	11	7	4	0	30	0
A. F. Paul (H.K.E.R.C.)	14	7	6	1	52	0
W. McHardy (Police)	9	6	3	0	19	0
B. E. Maughan (R.H.K.Y.C.)	10	6	4	0	8	0
W. K. Way (C.C.C.)	10	6	5	0	0	63
H. H. Rose (K.B.G.C.)	11	6	5	0	32	0
A. Chapman (R.H.K.Y.C.)	12	6	6	0	21	0
A. Macfarlane (R.H.K.Y.C.)	12	6	6	0	0	11
E. Kern (K.C.C.)	13	6	7	0	13	0
J. G. Meyer (K.B.G.C.)	9	5	4	0	42	0
L. Luck (C.S.C.C.)	9	5	4	0	17	0
L. de Rome (H.K.E.R.C.)	10	5	5	0	0	19
R. R. Davies (C.C.C.)	11	5	6	0	21	0
V. N. Atienza (C.C.C.)	14	5	8	1	0	15
W. E. Hale (K.B.G.C.)	7	4	3	0	55	0
J. Riberio (Recreio)	7	4	3	0	23	0
Dr. R. A. Basto (Recreio)	8	4	4	0	0	12
J. J. Basto (Recreio)	11	4	7	0	0	18
J. M. Jack (K.C.C.)	11	4	7	0	0	27
J. Russell (H.K.F.C.)	12	4	8	0	0	45
F. Haynes (H.K.F.C.)	14	4	10	0	0	45
A. R. Minu (I.R.C.)	3	3	0	0	32	0
T. Fergusson (K.C.C.)	4	3	1	0	0	15
L. Whant (C.S.C.C.)	5	3	2	0	13	0
J. S. Riddell (Police)	6	3	2	1	22	0
E. G. Barry (C.C.C.)	7	3	4	0	0	7
R. R. Wood (C.S.C.C.)	7	3	4	0	0	13
W. Glendening (Police)	9	3	5	1	0	21
A. A. Razack (C.C.C.)	2	2	0	0	10	0
W. B. Muskett (H.K.E.R.C.)	2	2	0	0	0	0
H. Rozario (Recreio)	3	2	1	0	5	0
A. S. Gomes (C.C.C.)	3	2	1	0	3	0
S. Deacon (H.K.E.R.C.)	3	2	1	0	2	0
J. F. Lunny (H.K.E.R.C.)	3	2	1	0	0	14
A. Brooksbank (H.K.F.C.)	5	2	2	1	0	14
C. A. Lopes (Recreio)	7	2	5	0	0	15
J. Gregory (H.K.F.C.)	9	2	7	0	0	41
S. Deacon (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	1	0	0	4	0
I. G. Sousa (C.C.C.)	2	1	1	0	0	8
W. McLeod (Police)	2	1	1	0	0	15
C. H. Basto (Recreio)	3	1	2	0	0	4
A. A. Lewis (C.C.C.)	3	1	2	0	0	33
C. Strange (C.S.C.C.)	4	1	3	0	0	23
A. H. Basto (Recreio)	6	1	5	0	0	32
W. H. Muskett (H.K.E.R.C.)	1	0	0	0	0	17
E. S. Carter (H.K.F.C.)	1	0	0	0	0	1
J. S. Dinnen (K.C.C.)	1	0	1	0	0	5

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C.C.S.C. AQUATIC GALA

Attractive Programme
For To-morrow

The Chinese Civil Servants' Club swimming gala, which was postponed last Saturday owing to inclement weather, will take place to-morrow evening, commencing at 7 o'clock at the Club's swimming beach, North Point.

An attractive programme has been arranged, two interesting events being those in which competitors will swim holding a lighted candle, and when contestants will try to thread needles on the move.

The following is the programme:

- 150 metres, three styles (Open to the Colony).
100 metres (women's).
200 metres (four styles (men's)).
100 metres (men's).
50 metres (girl beginners).
50 metres (holding a candle).
400 metres (men's).
50 metres, threading the needle.

LEWIS' DEBUT AS SKIP

(Continued from Page 4.)

The other new skip in the senior division was A. O. Brown (Civil Service). Brown, who usually plays No. 3 to F. J. Jones, led F. Deakin's rink. He lost to A. E. Clarke of the Police, however, by 23 shots to 20.
W. E. Funnell, turned out as a new player for the C.C.C. junior team playing at No. 1 position in W. E. Way's rink. They beat H. H. Rose's (K.G.B.C.) rink by 19 shots to 18.
J. S. Logan (Kowloon Bowling Green) also skipped for the first time in the junior division. Replacing W. E. Hale, he lost to E. O. Barry (C.C.C.) by 17 shots to 20. Logan usually plays No. 2 in W. Macfarlane's rink.

BAILS REMAIN ON HIT WICKET

Kent Saved From
Defeat

Kent were saved from defeat by a remarkable incident at the Oval when Surrey took five points for first-innings lead.

Half an hour remained for play when C. S. Marriott, the last Kent batsman, came in. On his average form he should not have stayed five minutes, but he held his own to the end.

Once he was actually clean-bowled, when P. G. H. Fender hit the off-stump without removing a ball.
Wagging cricketers are at variance as to which is the greater achievement—hitting the wicket without dislodging a ball or C. S. Marriott lasting half an hour!

Disappointing End To Open Rinks Tourney

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Both A. E. Carey and W. Mair gave glimpses of their true form on the second hand when they each trailed the jack. G. C. Moss was good occasionally, but had little chance against Grimmitt.

Moss' Great Shot

One of the best shots Moss played was on the fourth Moss. The Civil Service were lying 5—possibly 6—shots, and with his last wood the Police skip cut the jack off the green for a dead head.
This proved to be of no great advantage to the Police however, as the Civil Service registered a "three" on the replay.
The Civil Service scored on each of the first nine ends to amass the match-winning lead of 24 shots to

TENNIS GAMBLE THAT CAME OFF

BRITAINS PROGRESS TO CHAMPIONSHIP

UNKNOWN PLAYER SHINES

(By F. J. Perry.)

THE ADVANCE OF GREAT BRITAIN TO BE THE LEADING LAWN TENNIS NATION ONCE MORE, AND TO REGAIN THE DAVIS CUP IS A MOST INTERESTING STORY. FIVE YEARS AGO, WHEN WE WERE REPRESENTED BY H. W. AUSTIN, J. G. GREGORY, I. G. COLLINS AND G. P. HUGHES, WE MET WITH RATHER MORE SUCCESS THAN USUAL BY REACHING THE FINAL OF THE EUROPEAN ZONE, IN WHICH WE LOST NARROWLY TO GERMANY.

It was during that match that Austin was attacked by the athletes nightmare, cramp, and was forced to bow to Dr. Prenz in the last match of the tie. So much, then, for our side of 1929.

In the early part of the following season the Lawn Tennis Association decided to hold the usual series of Davis Cup trials, this time at the All-England Club, but much more importance was attached to them than in previous years.

S.W.B. SWIMMING SPORTS

Inter-Company Shield
To H.Q. Wing

PRESENTATION TO MR. E. SELK
FROM BORDERERS

Headquarters Wing won the Inter-Company Shield with a total of 48 points at the annual aquatic sports of the South Wales Borderers held at the V.R.C. yesterday afternoon. "B" Company were second, with 37½ points.

At the conclusion of the meeting, Mrs. Williams, wife of Lieut. Col. A. E. Williams, Officer Commanding the Battalion in Hong Kong, presented the prizes. A cigarette case, suitably inscribed, was also presented by Mrs. Williams, on behalf of the Battalion, to Mr. E. F. Selk, Sports Secretary of the Y.M.C.A., in appreciation of the help given the Borderers during their stay in the Colony.

The following were the results:

Inter-Company 300 Yards Relay Race:

1. Headquarter Wing (L/C Fullager, Bdn. Martin, Pte. Allen, Bdn. Lockhart, Bdn. Flynn and Bdn. Maynard); 2. "B" Company (Pte. O'Kelly, Pte. 39 Jones, L/C Sparey, Pte. Marsh, L/C Jones and Pte. Wahtan). Time: 3 mins. 20 secs.

Enlisted Boys' Race 50 Yards:

1. Boy Dale; 2. Boy Pickhard. Time: 42 secs.

Open Relay Race 300 Yards:

1. Royal Artillery; 2. Small Units. Time: 3 mins. 10 secs.

Individual 150 Yards Championship (Officers' Championship Cup):

1. L/C Campbell; 2. L/C Fullager. Time: 1 min. 48.1/5 secs.

Diving:

1. "A" Company (Pte. Morrison and Pte. Mason); 2. Headquarter Wing (Lieut. J. C. Richardson and Bdn. Flynn).

Boys' Race 25 Yards:

1. Bobby Vincent; 2. Tony Facer; 3. Peter Bromley; Ronald Witt. Time: 24 secs.

Inter-Company 150 Yards Relay Race:

1. "B" Company (Pte. O'Kelly, Pte. 39 Jones, L/C Sparey, Pte. Marsh, L/C Jones and Pte. Wahtan); 2. Headquarter Wing (Lieut. J. C. Richardson and Bdn. Flynn).

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Hughes was forced to withdraw from these trials as his business necessitated his presence in Italy. At the last moment an absolutely unknown player was selected to "fill the bill" and that unknown player answered to the name of F. J. Perry!

That was the first time an unknown had appeared with our Davis Cup stars, but he met with little success, though he gained much valuable experience!

Very little importance was attached to the appearance of Perry, as great interest had arisen as the result of the arrival of Harold Lee into the ranks of the immortals.

Displaying wonderful lawn tennis throughout those matches, he rightly earned his place in the team, which, strangely enough, was drawn against Germany in the first round, but this time on home courts.

We were represented in that match by Austin, Lee, Gregory, and Collins, and just scrambled home after a setback of two losses on the first day.

Next came a much easier encounter recurrence of ill-health, Austin was unable to play, thus making way for Nigel Sharpe, who gained his colours after knocking at the door for a long time.

In Low Water

After the Polish match came a sad blow. We were defeated by Australia at Eastbourne, despite the fact that Pat Hughes was recalled from the Continent in order to be on hand.

As Austin was still under the weather, we entered that match with a side consisting of Lee, Hughes, Collins, and Gregory. A good side indeed, but not quite good enough to defeat Australia. As a result of that defeat, and the fact that neither Gregory nor Collins would be available for

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"Y" LADIES' HOCKEY MEETING

Miss O. Brown Elected
Captain

Miss O. Brown was elected Captain at the annual meeting of the Y.M.C.A. Ladies' Hockey Section held in the West Lounge of the Y.M.C.A. last evening, while Miss S. Dalziel was elected Vice-captain.

Other officer bearers elected were: Miss A. Fowler, Hon. Secretary, Mrs. P. Portallion and Mrs. M. Read, Committee members. Mr. G. T. Palmer agreed to act as coach during the ensuing year.

BAD LUCK DOGS POLICE

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a certain extent, the re-arrangement of Holland's rink was responsible for the Police defeat.

In addition, Holland's experienced "bad luck" many really good lays being spoiled by a fortunate shot.

At the same time, full marks are due to F. J. Jones' four (E. W. Simmonds, C. Strange and L. Collyer) for a really good display.

China Mail Sports Diary

TO-DAY.
Aquatics.—Twentieth Battery, Royal Artillery, (Y.M.C.A.).

TO-MORROW.
Aquatics.—St. Andrew's Scouts Meet (Y.M.C.A. Bath), 1.30 p.m.; V.R.C. Night Fete, 9.30 p.m.

Lawn Bowls.—Senior Division, Civil Service C.C. v. Talkoo R.C.; Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower "B"; Police R.C. v. Kowloon Dockers R.C.; Club de Recreo v. Kowloon C.C.C.; Junior Division, H.K. Electric v. Civil Service C.C.; Yacht Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Indian R.C. v. Police R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Club de Recreo; Football Club v. Craigengower C.C.

JAPANESE GIRL HIT BY JAVELIN

Mishap While Training
For World Games

PINNED TO GROUND THROUGH THIGH

London, August 10.

Japan's No. 1 woman javelin thrower, Miss Sadako Yamamoto, aged 18, one of the star athletes of the Japanese team visiting this country for the World Games, was pierced by her own javelin while training at the White City Stadium, Shepherd's Bush, W., yesterday.

She was wounded and was taken to Hammersmith Hospital, W.

According to a witness, Miss Yamamoto had thrown her javelin, and it was picked up by one of the male athletes practising in another part of the arena for the Empire Games.

He threw the javelin back a distance of more than 20 yards and it accidentally hit Miss Yamamoto in the right thigh, pinning her to the ground.

She was carried from the stadium by her team-mates, who refused to allow the mishap to disturb them and afterwards continued their training.

Dr. T. Kinoshita, who is accompanying the Japanese team said: "It is uncertain yet whether Miss Yamamoto will be able to compete in the games. If she has to withdraw it will be serious for the team."

Late last night Miss Yamamoto was stated to be making good progress.

Ranger's Forecast For To-morrow

FIRST DIVISION

ARSENAL (2) v. Liverpool (1)

A. VILLA (0) v. Derby (2)

BLACKBURN (1) v. Leeds (2)

CHESHAM (2) v. Leicester (0)

EVERTON (2) v. Preston (0)

GRIMSBY (2) v. Tottenham (0)

HULLFIELD (2) v. Tottenham (0)

MANCHESTER (2) v. WESTBURY (0)

MIDDLESBORO (2) v. West Bromwich (0)

Stoke (1) v. Birmingham (1)

Wolves (1) v. SUNDLAND (1)

SECOND DIVISION

BARNLEY (2) v. Port Vale (0)

BLACKBURN (0) v. Hull (0)

BOLTON (2) v. Bury (0)

BRADFORD (2) v. Swans (1)

NEWCASTLE (2) v. Everton (0)

NORWICH (2) v. Tottenham (0)

NOTTS (2) v. Burnley (1)

PLYMOUTH (2) v. Bradford (1)

SHEFFIELD U. (2) v. Manchester U. (0)

Southampton (1) v. Oldham (0)

WEST HAM (2) v. Notts F. (1)

THIRD DIVISION (South)

Bournemouth (3) v. Coventry (3)

Bristol R. (0) v. Luton (1)

CHARLTON (4) v. Brighton (3)

CRYSTAL P. (3) v. Cardiff (2)

NEWCASTLE (2) v. Clapton (0)

NORWICH (2) v. Aldershot (4)

READING (2) v. Gillingham (0)

TORQUAY (2) v. Swindon (0)

WATFORD (2) v. Millwall (0)

THIRD DIVISION (North)

BARROW (5) v. Halifax (2)

CARLISLE (0) v. Wrexham (0)

CHESTER (7) v. Accrington (0)

CHESHAM (1) v. Walsall (2)

DOUGLAS (2) v. Stockport (2)

HARTLEPOOL (2) v. Grimsby (1)

MANFIELD (3) v. Rotherham (0)

N. BRIGHTON (2) v. Darlington (2)

ROCHDALE (1) v. TRANMERE (0)

Southport (1) v. Gateshead (1)

York (2) v. Lincoln (0)

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

ABERDEEN (2) v. Dundee (0)

ALBION (2) v. M'WELL (0)

CLYDE (2) v. Falkirk (0)

HAZLETON (4) v. Airdrie (2)

HEARTS (2) v. Dundee (1)

KILMARNOCK (4) v. Celtic (3)

Queen's Pk. (2) v. Celtic (3)

Queen's Pk. (2) v. St. Mirren (1)

RANGERS (2) v. Partick (2)

St. Johnstone (0) v. HIBERNIAN (1)

(Figures in brackets denote the result of the corresponding game last year, while teams given in capital letters are favoured to win. All home teams are mentioned first.)

Home And Away Soccer Tables To Date

Comprehensive Guide To Latest Form

THE following are complete Home and Away Football tables to date, giving the standing of the various Clubs at the close of last season:

First Division.	HOME						AWAY						TL Pts.	
	P.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.	P.	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.		
Preston (→)	2	1	1	0	0	3	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	4
Wednesday (11)	2	1	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	2	4
Birmingham (20)	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	2	2	4
Sunderland (6)	2	1	1	0	0	4	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	1
Everton (14)	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	3
Manchester C. (5)	2	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	1	0	0	1	1	3
Middlesboro (16)	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	4	2	3
Liverpool (19)	2	1	1	0	0	2	0	2	1	0	0	1	3	0
Stoke (12)	2	1	1	0	0	3	1	2	1	0	0	1	4	0
Alton (13)	2	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	1	0	0	1	2	0
Derby (4)	2	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
Huddersfield (2)	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0
Portsmouth (10)	2	1	0	0	1	3	1	2	1	0	0	1	4	0
Leicester (17)	2	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	2
West Bromwich (7)	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	1	2	0
Grimsby (→)	2	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1
Wolves (15)	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	1
Tottenham (3)	2	2	0	0	1	1	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1
Arsenal (1)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	3
Blackburn (8)	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0
Chelsea (9)	2	1	0	1	0	1	2	0	1	0	1	0	0	3
Leeds (15)	2	1	0	0	1	2	4	0	1	0	1	1	8	0

CONSTANCE CUMMINGS DELIGHTS IN HER FIRST BRITISH PICTURE

ELISSA LANDI DESIRES TO BE TEMPERAMENTAL

PARAMOUNT FACED WITH CRISIS

STAR'S VERSATILITY SEQUEL

Elissa Landi, the English film star, has refused further contract talk with Paramount unless the studio guarantees that she will be definitely typed in all future screen roles.

Hollywood could not be more surprised. The fear of being typed has been the actor's bogey for years. It was one of Janet Gaynor's principal complaints at the time of her long suspension from the Fox Studios.

But Elissa Landi argues:

"Nearly all of the great stars of the screen have been typed. Look at Mary Pickford, Charles Chaplin, Douglas Fairbanks, Janet Gaynor, Katharine Hepburn, Greta Garbo and Mae West.

"One of the reasons they succeeded is because they came to represent something definite to the public.

"I think my whole trouble on the screen has been the versatility of my roles. I have not become a recognised character."

Miss Landi wants to play heroines who are exotic, temperamental, but with a sense of humour.

MARION DAVIES WILL FLY OVER MT. FUJIYAMA

ACTRESS TAKING OWN PLANE

DUE EAST IN NOVEMBER

Tokyo, Aug. 14.

Marion Davies, the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer film star, who is at present in Europe, plans to sail from Vancouver in the autumn on board the s.s. Empress of Russia for a month's sight-seeing in Japan.

She is due to arrive in Yokohama on November 18, and will bring her own plane. Among other arrangements, she plans a flight over Mount Fujiyama, the most spectacular beauty spot in Japan.

JEANNETTE MAC DONALD SINGS AT MARIE DRESSLER FUNERAL

Jeannette MacDonald, the film star, softly sang the hymns "Face to Face" and "Abide With Me" at the funeral service of Marie Dressler in Hollywood's tiny Scottish church. The little church was overflowing with flowers—British United Press.



A scene from "Strictly Dynamite" starring Jimmy Durante and Lupe Velez, which is commencing on Sunday at the King's Theatre.

Short Shots

CHARLES Boyer has torn up his contract with Fox, as he states they made him act in pictures that were beneath his dignity. He will return to Europe.

Kitty Carlisle, who made her first screen appearance in "Murder at the Vanities," will appear again with Carl Brisson in his next musical, and there also seems a likelihood that she will appear with Herbert Marshall in "Enter Madame." She was educated on the Continent and speaks three languages perfectly.

It was a sad blow to Lois Wilson when Richard Dix married his pretty secretary, after only knowing her four months. Hollywood, after his recent divorce, thought he would marry Miss Wilson this time.

Clark Gable will most likely enact the role of Mack Sennett when Sennett produces his autobiography, and most of the famous stars who have passed through his studio will appear in the course of the picture.

John Gilbert will appear in a Columbia release. His ex-wife Virginia Bruce is now receiving the highest praise for her work in "Jane Eyre," with Colin Clive.

George Arliss will start work on his British picture "The Duke of Wellington" this month, and has signed to make three pictures in one year for the Twentieth Century Studio. His salary is now as large as that of Greta Garbo.

The next "racket" to be exposed in films will be the "armament trade." Three companies are now at work on different stories.

Myrna Loy and Warner Baxter will be directed by Frank Capra in the Columbia release "Broadway Bill." They made a delightful team in "Penthouse."

Binnie Barnes and Lois Wilson are the two women in Frank Morgan's life in the Universal release "There Is Always Tomorrow."

Clive Brook, now in England on holiday, will act in a British picture, and William Gargan will be leading man in Cecil Courtneidge's next film.

Walter Connolly, seen and liked as the father in "Paddy the Next Best Thing" looks like rivaling Emil Jannings.

If you think you will like it, Heather Angel will "eroin" in her first Universal Musical with Roger Proyer as the co-star.

PLAYS OPPOSITE FRANK LAWTON IN "HEADS WE GO"

VICTOR MCLAGLEN & EDMUND LOWE IN STIRRING UNDERSEA DRAMA

CONRAD VEIDT'S TRIUMPH IN "THE WANDERING JEW"

EDMUND Lowe and Victor McLaglen made their names famous as the "Sez you" wise-cracking team seven years ago in "What Price Glory." In at least five films they have, more or less repeated the roles of "Flagg" and "Quirt," but there is still a freshness about them. No one is quite like them.

In "No More Women" we have excitement in plenty. They are cast as two drivers, "Three Times" (Lowe) and "Forty Fathom" (McLaglen). There are some thrilling under-sea scenes, where we see these brave men at work on their hazardous jobs on sunken treasure ships. There is a rare fight between the two heroes—as usual over a girl—on a scenic railway, when "Forty Fathom" is pushed off and falls into the sea. His pal is then arrested for murder.

Sally Blane, (who grows more like her lovely sister Loretta Young every day) is the attractive heroine. The cast is good, comprising Minna Gombell, Frank Moran, Alphon Etier, Harold Huber and others. Don't miss this one. (King's).

"The Ridin' Tornado"

"The Ridin' Tornado" is a Columbia release in which the hero, fast-riding Tim McCoy, finds the cattle thief, and wins the daughter of the ranch owner. A typical Western, same old story, and same old acting from favourites like Russell Simpson, Wheeler Oakman, Wallace MacDonald and Montagu Love. (Alhambra).

I think it a pity that Lillian Harvey, after her rows with Fox has decided to stay on in Hollywood and make more pictures for Universal and Paramount. I still maintain she is at her best under the Ufa banner and directorship.

In "The Only Girl," we have light musical fare on a grand scale, depicting life in the gay days of Court life in France.

The Continental idol—Charles Boyer, remember how he stood out in the film with Claudette Colbert and Clive Brook "The Man from Yesterday?" is the handsome Duke who chases the owner of the garage he finds, thinking it belongs to the Empress, (well played by Mady Christians), and finds it belongs to her maid—the pretty, winsome Lillian Harvey.

Among the cast will be found some well-known names from the English stage, such as Huntley Wright and Ernest Thesiger, who do well in their respective roles. Miss Harvey is delightful, bewitching, and sings and dances with rare charm. (Alhambra).

"Heads We Go"

Constance Cummings (seen here recently in "This Man Is Mine") gives a really delightful performance in her first British talkie "Heads We Go." Frank Lawton plays as the hero, and Binnie Barnes, Claud Hulbert, and Gus Mac Naughton add considerably to the gaiety of the entertainment.

The story is thin, but Monty Banks directs with skill, and it is well produced. A mannequin falls in love with a young man, who tells her he is going to Deauville for his holidays. She follows him, and finds he is only a steward on the boat. Unable to find hotel accommodation she is mistaken for a film actress, and then trouble starts.

It is an ambitious British production, and the star practically carries the success of the film upon his worthy shoulders. Marie Ney as his wife is allowed by the director to overact. Peggy Ashcroft the well-known Shakespearean actress does well in her first film, as also does Anne Grey. The picture is drawn-out and the prosy dialogue may not appeal. The assembled members of the large cast seem too theatrical, and one is not so impressed as might be expected. Of all the episodes the last one in Seville and the trial and burning of the Jew at the stake are the best from all points of view.

I cannot help thinking that had this story been produced by a Hollywood studio, it would most certainly have been more impressive and would have sounded a more real note. The voice of the "Narrator," too, detracts from the realism. Still, it is a film I can recommend, because it is one of the most ambitious yet turned out by the Twickenham Studio. (Queen's).

"Blood Money"

"Blood Money" sees George Bancroft making a screen comeback in an underworld story of the Bond-racket in New York. Frances Dee, Judith Anderson, and Blossom Seeley give good support. The will be followed by Frank Buck's wild animal film "Wild Cargo" and then a gruesome story of tiger fishermen, starring Edward G. Robinson—"Tiger Shark"—with Dick Arlen and Zita Johann. (Oriental).

"The Bureau Of Missing Persons" A caption in the film "The Bureau of Missing Persons" informs us that so many thousands of people are missing in New York each year, and I assure you they have made a really interesting story out of it. Lewis Stone, as the captain-in-charge, almost sprouts wings in his kindness. Pat O'Brien is the hard-boiled detective, and we see the Bureau mainly through the point of view of these two people.

Joan Blondell gives an attractive intensive performance in a part that is not too sympathetic. Glenda Farrell and Allen Jenkins, Hugh Herbert and O'Brien supply rich humour.

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2 STARS INCLUDED AMONG AMERICA'S 10 MOST BEAUTIFUL

—DIANE

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One of the women in Otto Kruger's life, in the Fox Film "Springtime For Henry" coming to the King's shortly.

Do You Know?

THAT Katharine Hepburn will be paid U.S.\$50,000 for each of her new contract of six pictures. One of them, it is stated, will be entitled "The Gorgeous Hussy."

That parents of Fay Wray were large landholders in Alberta, Canada, and the actress was born in Wrayland, named after her parents. Miss Wray comes to the Majestic theatre on Sunday in "Madame Spy," the Universal drama in which she is featured with Nils Asther, with a supporting cast including John Miljan, Edward Arnold, David Torrence, Rollo Lloyd and Vince Barnett.

That arrangements have been made by the Nanking Theatre to exhibit all the latest Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer pictures. This is, perhaps, the most significant recent move in Shanghai motion picture activities.

That Alice Faye, whose screen romance with Rudy Vallee gives the kick to the story around which the musical features of George White's "Scandals" are built, was a former "Scandals" beauty . . . and the featured feminine performer of Vallee's radio programmes, her rise to screen fame is a romance in itself. She is now appearing at the Majestic Theatre in the leading role in "George White's Scandals."

That Joe E. Brown, whose next picture is to be "Six-Day Bike Rider," is absorbing the atmosphere on bicycle racing in Hollywood, having acted as starter for a 24-hour cycle race in the cinema city.

That one of the best reasons why Miss Katharine Hepburn, cinema star, will not marry her manager, Mr. Leland Hayward, according to the New York Daily News is that his wife will not let him.

That Miss Greta Nissen, the blonde film star, will return to Hollywood from London in September to defend herself in an automobile accident damage suit, and to seek an end to her matrimonial difficulties with Mr. Weldon Heyburn, the film star whom she married in Mexico two years ago.

PERRY'S FUTURE WIFE

Fred Perry, lawn tennis champion, is to marry Miss Mary Lawton who is now making a film with Miss Cecily Courtneidge. She is 23 and Perry is 25.

COMEDIAN HEADS SCREEN'S GREATEST STARS

MODERN PLAYERS IN MAJORITY

SAMUEL GOLDWYN'S LIST

Samuel Goldwyn, the Metro-Goldwyn-Meyer chief, is one of Hollywood's cleverest star-marketers. Therefore his list of the 12 great stars the screen has ever known is worth serious consideration.

Here it is:—

Charlie Chaplin
Douglas Fairbanks
Mary Pickford
Marguerite Clark
Janet Gaynor
Greta Garbo
Clara Bow
Wallace Reid
Will Rogers
Wallace Beery
Eddie Cantor
Norma Shearer.

WILL ROGERS ARGUES ABOUT GUAM AND NAVY

AMUSING TALK IN YOKOHAMA

COMEDIAN'S MEETING WITH ROOSEVELT

As the liner on which he was travelling moved up Yokohama harbour Mr. Will Rogers noticed a grey naval craft flying the Star and Stripes at its stern. Someone volunteered the information that it was the Gold Star, U. S. special service ship from Guam.

"Where's Guam, anyway?" he inquired. "Never heard of it. Another geographical expert hazarded that Guam was an island with a wireless station on it. Mr. Rogers doubted if the whole island was worth keeping a navy ship on duty there; he didn't think it likely that very many Americans knew where Guam was, and anyway Americans were more interested in sports and travel than in little islands.

Asked about his stop at Honolulu on the way across the Pacific, Mr. Rogers said he had the privilege there of meeting President Roosevelt at a welcome function for him, but he didn't get a chance to talk politics with the Chief Executive and so he thought the reporters wouldn't be interested.

BANCROFT'S WIFE NAMED AS CO-RESPONDENT

Mrs. Octavia Brooke-Bancroft, present wife of George Bancroft, the film actor, has been named as the correspondent in an amended separate maintenance suit brought against George Bancroft by his first wife, Mrs. Edna Bancroft.

AT THE MAJESTIC TO-DAY & TO-MORROW AT 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 P.M.

GEORGE WHITE'S SCANDALS
RUDY VALLEE · JIMMY DURANTE
ALICE FAYE · ADRIENNE AMES
GREGORY RAYOFF · CLIFF EDWARDS
GEORGE WHITE
Entire Production Conceived, Created and Directed by GEORGE WHITE
Executive Producer, ROBERT KANE

FROM SUNDAY
"MADAME SPY"
WITH
FAY WRAY, NILS ASTHER

SUNDAY AT THE KING'S

STRICTLY DYNAMITE
The Fashion Plate of Hollywood and a Dangerous Man With Women
You see it Fully in Her Band
NORMAN FOSTER · WILLIAM GARGAN
MARION NIXON · NILS ASTHER
Directed by Elton Soper

CENTRAL THEATRE
SHOWING TO-DAY AT 2.30, 5.15, 7.15 & 9.30
Hearts will pound as Uncle Sam's artillery thunders on!
KEEP 'EM ROLLING
WALTER HUSTON
FRANCES DES
Minna Gombell
and the other
men of the 16th Field
Artillery, U. S. A.
Directed by George Marshall
Adapted by George Marshall from
Army by Leonard Maltin, Maltin
(C) Cramer, executive producer
M.G.M. PICTURES

A DOUBLE ATTRACTION PROGRAMME
SUNDAY and MONDAY
MICKEY MOUSE
IN
MICKEY'S REVUE
TWO DAYS ONLY
at the
ALHAMBRA



Cardinal Verdier, leader of the Christian Church in France, who will represent his country at the 1934 Eucharistic Congress to be held at Buenos Aires in October of this year.

HORTICULTURAL DUTIES

Industry Still To Be Protected

SLIGHT MODIFICATIONS TO 1932 DUTIES

London, To-day. A review of the duties on certain horticultural products, originally imposed in 1932, has been completed by the Import Duties Advisory Committee, and the Treasury have issued an order for their continuance, with a slight modification.

In recommending the duties in 1932 the committee referred to the necessity for improved marketing, and particularly for organised assembling, grading, and packing, and stated that, subject to these and other considerations, it was not their intention to recommend any alteration in the general scheme of protection before the autumn of this year.

INDUSTRY'S GOOD RESPONSE
As a result of their review the committee have now stated that, while there is still much to be done, the industry as a whole has responded well to the call made on it. There is a general consensus of evidence as to the large increase in home production, and as to the advance made in marketing methods, and from no quarter has it been suggested that prices generally have been affected to the detriment of the consumer.

In these circumstances, they see no reason to recommend any reduction in the measure of protection afforded by the existing duties, and the proposals for changes are limited to a few cases, in which they were satisfied that some further assistance should be afforded immediately.—British Wireless Service

SCRIPTURES UNDER TEMPLE

Buddhist Finds In China

Tientsin.

An underground passage of an old temple in Hsinho, Hopei Province, was recently discovered, according to reports received by the Bureau of Civil Affairs and Education of the Hopei Provincial Government.

In this passage were found 500 volumes of Buddhist scriptures and five beautiful Buddhist statues. They are believed to be relics dating back more than 1,000 years.

HEADLIGHTS ON TINY BUG

Strange Creature On River

Cleburne, Tex.

Now comes a bug with headlights to rival the fame of the lightning bug with its tail-light. R. H. Deering found the strange creature along the Brazos River.

On its head, situated to resemble the headlights of an automobile, are two spots which radiate light. The bug, before it died, could make the spots glow at will.

INDUSTRY PLANS IN CANTON

Government Scheme For Expansion

MORE MONOPOLIES PENDING

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, Yesterday.

The Provincial Department of Reconstruction has revealed that the business from the sale of tungsten, sugar and cement has brought in about \$2,200,000 a month.

In consequence of this extraordinarily good business, the Department will engage in numerous other industries which will yield still more profits.

The sale of tungsten is a Government monopoly, but no capital or labour is needed. The National Products Sales Office merely buys the mineral from the Chinese mining companies and sells it to agents in Hong Kong.

There is always a sufficient margin between buying and selling prices, and therefore profits are assured.

Sugar is also exclusively sold by the same Office, because merchants are not permitted to deal in wholesale business. Only a limited number of shops are authorised to sell sugar in retail business. The Sales Office is importing sugar direct to supply the demand throughout Kwangtung.

Imported cement has no market here owing to high tariff and special taxes levied on it. Therefore, government cement has a clear field in Canton.

FAMOUS SCIENTISTS MEET

British Association Annual Meeting

SIR JAMES JEANS TO GIVE PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

London, To-day.

The presidential address at the annual meeting of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, which will be held in Aberdeen from September 5 to 12, will be delivered by Sir James Jeans, of the "New World Picture of Physics," and scientists are looking forward with keen interest to the discussion it will provoke.

As is usual at these meetings, the speakers are addressing themselves to many practical questions, such as nutrition in relation to disease, the problem of noise, and questions affecting the rearing and feeding of cattle, which has a special local interest, in view of the fact that Aberdeen is the centre of a famous cattle raising district.

Radio enthusiasts will hear Professor Kennelly of Harvard, joint discoverer with Professor Heaviside of the famous law on the nature of the ionosphere, or the electrical conducting regions of the upper atmosphere. The leader of contemporary research on radio waves, Professor Appleton, is opening the discussion.

ASCORBIC ACID
Scores of other subjects by eminent scientists in many fields vary from the discussion on Ascorbic acid, which is a vitamin that prevents scurvy, to a popular account of the interpretation of the spectra of the stars. Some well-known economists, including Sir Josiah Stamp, will take part in a discussion of the need for a technique of economic change.—British Wireless Service

MALAYAN FINDS JOBS SCARCE

Though Without Pass He Gives Himself Up

Amat Bin Ali, a 26-year-old unemployed Malayan, was charged before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, with entering the Colony without a passport.

Sergeant Russell stated that accused came to the Colony from Shanghai sometime ago, and gave himself up yesterday in a destitute condition, after having failed to secure a job.

Accused was committed to the House of Detention for one month after which period he will be allowed to look for a job in the Colony.



Prof. Albert Einstein, world-famous German scientist who propounded the theory of relativity, is taking a vacation from his laboratory at Princeton, N. J., and enjoying himself sailing at Watch Hill, R.I.

ARMED ROBBERY IN TERRITORIES

Hawker Held Up At Point Of Gun

THREE ROBBERS DESCRIBED

Held up at the point of a revolver by three men last night near the Lo Wu Brickworks at Fu Ti Au, Tang Yui, 52-year-old pork hawker, was robbed of \$70.80 (Hong Kong) and \$2.20 (Canton).

Tang reported to the police that he saw the men crouching under a truck as he was walking along the railway line to Sheung Shui. As he passed they threatened him and searched him.

The descriptions of the men are: First, Short and stout, about 27 or 28, dressed in white, armed with a rusty revolver. Second, Tall and thin, about 25 or 26, dressed in black, carrying a torch.

Third, Short and stout, about 30, black coat and white trousers. All spoke the Punti dialect.

"THEY FORGOT TO PAY"

Three Men Find \$10 As Reminder

A fine of \$10 each, in default 14 days' imprisonment was imposed on Lo Hing, Lu Chu, and Keung Lung, three unemployed men, by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfarlane at the Central Magistracy this morning, for obtaining food and cigarettes by fraud at the Po Chuen Tenhouse, No. 49 Connaught Road Central.

Sergeant Shepherd said that defendants ordered food and cigarettes to the value of \$5.27, and when they had finished they walked away without paying for them.

LOCAL NEWS BREVITIES

Sentence of three months' hard labour was imposed on Chiu Yu, unemployed, by Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning, for the theft of a radiator cap from car No. 881, belonging to Dr. K. D. Ling, while the car was parked outside St. John's Hall, Bonham Road, yesterday.

The a.s. Takada is due here on Tuesday from Singapore.

SING-SONG GIRLS TO DISPLAY BADGES

Nanking's New Order

Sing-song girls in Nanking much hereafter display at conspicuous places badges bearing the picture of a peach flower, according to a new order of the Social Affairs Commissioner of that city. Those ignoring the order will be fined by the authorities and their licences will be cancelled, the order says.

To-day's Short Story

The Corner Seat

By Cecil Whitehead

TO realise suddenly that a fellow human being, a man seated opposite you in a railway carriage, someone you do not know, is only waiting a favourable opportunity to commit suicide, is a nerve-racking experience.

It is not often that I travel by train these days, but my car was laid up, so I had no choice.

"On the right," said the Inspector, clipping my ticket.

I hurried along the platform intent on finding a corner seat.

A FIRST-CLASS smoker, with only two well-dressed men occupying the further seats, seemed the very thing I was looking for. I got in. Both men glanced up from their papers with the usual resentment. Then they resumed their reading again.

As the train began to move the inevitable agitated little man dashed past, stopped, hesitated, made a grab at the door-handle and fell into the seat opposite me.

"You ran it a bit close," I said, smiling pleasantly.

"Yes," he agreed. As he seemed disinclined for further conversation I raised my paper and studied him surreptitiously over the top. Somehow one is always interested in one's travelling companions.

His breath was coming in huge jerks. The effort had quite exhausted him. Apparently he did not realise the risk he was running. It was obvious that he was out of condition and was unused to any form of violent exercise. A man of middle age, he was undersized, going bald, wearing rimless glasses, conventionally dressed in a black coat and striped trousers, somewhat the worse for wear. He looked tired, worried, and terribly unhappy.

WOMAN DRIVER IN COURT

Knocks Coolie Down In Kowloon

TOY YACHT IN WAY

Miss Jorge, of No. 7 King's Terrace appeared before Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning on a charge of failing to drive with due care and caution when she knocked down a coolie in Tam Kong Road on July 28.

Sergeant-Paton stated that the defendant was driving along Tam Kong Road, towards Kowloon City when a toy yacht, which was on the seat behind her, slipped down and as she was trying to push it out of the way with one hand, the car swerved and struck a coolie who was spreading sand on the opposite side of the road. He was admitted to hospital, suffering from large bruises on the body and shock, and will be detained for another week.

As the coolie was only paid by the day Mr. Wynne Jones decided that Miss Jorge should pay him his wages as compensation, but as he was not out of hospital the amount could not be determined, and so the case was remanded for one week.

WITHOUT LIGHTS

For driving his car along Chatham Road without lights at 11.15 p.m. on August 10, Dr. D. Hope Gill, of No. 80 Nathan Road, was fined \$5.

LORRY DRIVER FINED

Summoned at the instance of Sergeant Youe, traffic officer, for driving without due care and caution, Leung Yu, driver of lorry No. 2871, appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Sergeant Youe stated that while he was driving from west to east along Des Voeux Road the defendant passed his car in between another, nearly colliding with his car.

A fine of \$10 was imposed.

WITHOUT LICENSES

For driving without a license Lo Oi-tik, driver of bus No. 815, Wong On, driver of taxi No. 43, and Yik Wei, driver of private car No. 2182, were fined \$5 each.

I VISUALISED a one-man business that was going none too well. In all probability bankruptcy was staring him in the face through no fault of his own, and he was almost at the end of his tether. I felt sorry for him.

"Poor little blighter!" I said to myself.

Suddenly he shifted his position, and as he did so, a frightened, scared look came into his pale, melancholy blue eyes. He glanced up quickly, saw I was watching him, and immediately looked down, embarrassed. He went very red.

SEVERAL times his hand moved furtively towards the door handle, but each time, catching my eye, he withdrew it, more nervous and embarrassed than before. What was the matter with him? Why was he so agitated? So nervous? What was on his mind?

TO-MORROW'S STORY

To-morrow's story will be "Inciting To Riot," by Eric Walrand.

Then in a flash it dawned on me he was contemplating what my man Law would describe as "a rash act."

Yes, suicide was obviously the intention. I was convinced by his manner; he was only waiting a suitable opportunity to hurl himself out and finish it all. Anyway, my duty was plain. I watched him fascinated, wondering when he would make the attempt, not daring to take my eyes off his face.

Apparently the other two men had come to the same conclusion; they also were watching him from behind their papers. The situation was dramatic.

The would-be suicide became aware of our interest and his nervousness increased.

SUDDENLY the whistle blew shrilly. We all jumped. The train entered Clayton tunnel with a roar. The little man made a frantic grab at the door handle. His expression was ghastly; the light of madness was in his eyes.

Without a moment's hesitation I hurled myself upon him.

"No, you don't!" I cried, pinning his arms to his side. The other men had jumped up. They joined in and forced him down. Very quickly he ceased struggling and remained still. He looked up at us reproachfully out of the furtive, frightened eyes.

"Now, you remain where you are and don't move!" I said severely. "We don't want any suicides here!"

"No, we do not!" said the larger of the two men, standing over him menacingly. "Lucky this gentleman realised what you intended doing," said the other, indicating me.

I threw out my chest, feeling quite a hero.

At last the little man found his voice. "I—I only wanted to get my coat out of the door," he whimpered miserably. "It's—it's shut in."

Then the train drew in to Brighton station.

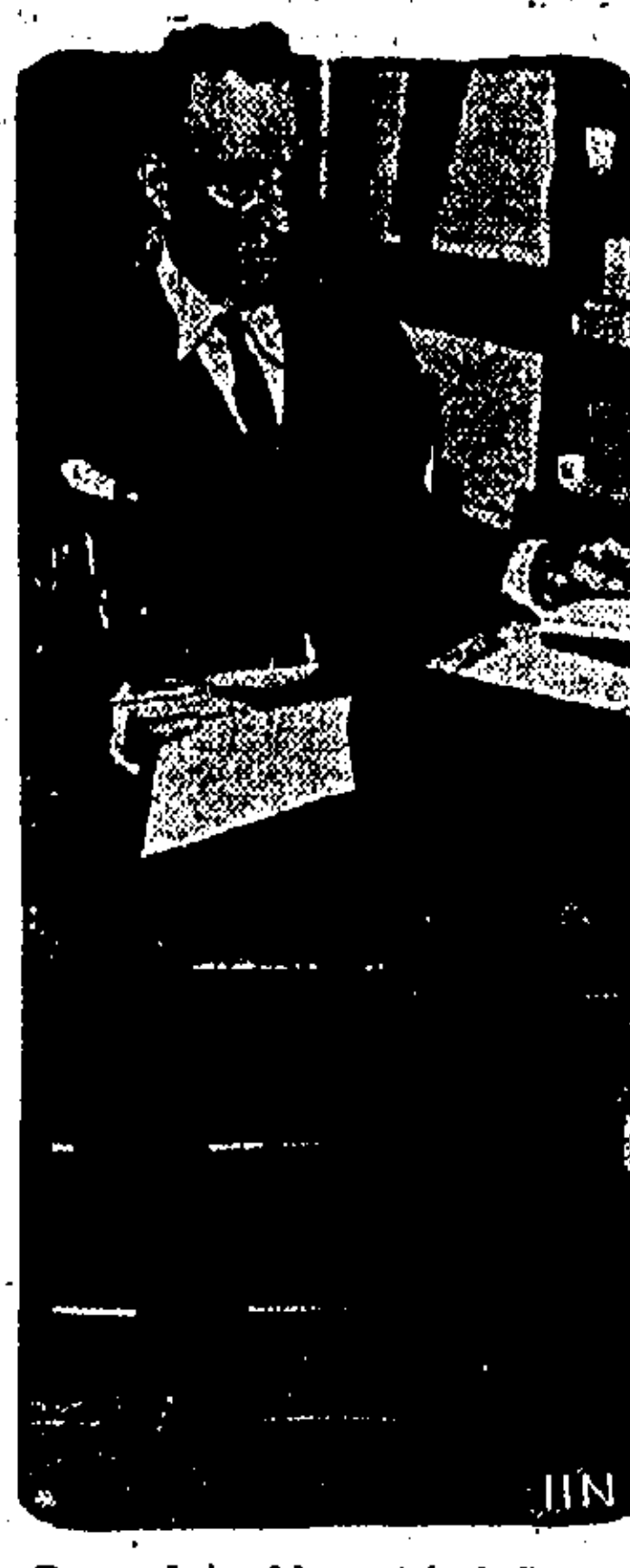
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BIG DRIVE ON RED BANDITS NOW PLANNED

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The commission which General Chen accepted was made by the South-west Political Council, although the appointment was gazetted by the Nanking Military Commission. Apparently, the order is not extended to the southern forces in view of the fact that there are 200,000 Nanking troops in Fukien and an equal amount in Kwangtung and Kwangsi.

Troops of Kwangtung and Kwangsi consolidating their position, but no offensive will be made in the near future, it is said. Communist units have extended their activities to Southern Hunan and are trying to penetrate into Kwangtung. Troops are being sent to defend the northern Kwangtung borders near Hunan. The Communists are active in Hunan and Kwangtung campaigns, undertaken by Marshal Chiang Kai-shek during the past three years.



Dressed in his patched Sunday clothes and battered shoes, William Andrew Mellon, poverty-stricken 60-year-old cousin of multi-millionaire ex-Secretary of the Treasury Mr. Andrew W. Mellon, is shown here in his latest photograph, snapped in his dingy downtown Pittsburgh flat where he is living on \$1.50 weekly from relief agencies.

COVENTRY WIN AT CLAPTON

Queen's Park Rangers Hold Palace

CARLISLE BEAT ACCRINGTON

London, To-day.

Coventry City clearly demonstrated the powerful challenge they are to make this season for promotion when they beat the greatly improved Clapton Orient side by a lone goal on the London ground yesterday.

Queen's Park Rangers secured their first point this season when they shared six goals with Crystal Palace, while in the northern section Carlisle United secured a brace of home points against Accrington to break their "duck."

Scores, as cabled by Reuters:

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Clapton 0 Coventry 1

Queen's P. R. 3 Crystal P. 3

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Carlisle 2 Accrington 0

RAINBOW WINS TRIAL

Yankee Over 2 Minutes In Arrears

ENDEAVOUR CASUALTY

Newport, Rhode Island, To-day.

The Vanderbilt syndicate's Rainbow defeated the Boston Syndicate's Yankee by 2 minutes 21 seconds in the third race of the final series of the America's Cup yachting trial races over a 30-mile triangular course yesterday.

The Rainbow led by 2 minutes 11 seconds at 10 miles, dropped back to 1 minute 58 seconds at 20 miles, then went ahead to win.

Ralph Frost, a member of the crew of Mr. Tom Sopwith's Endeavour, was struck on the head by a swinging boom when the Endeavour was competing in an informal race against Vanite and Wetamoe yesterday.

Frost was sent to hospital suffering from slight concussion, but his condition is not serious.—Reuter.

HAPPY VALLEY GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

Starting Times For Sunday

The following are the starting times for the Championship of Happy Valley and the Captain's Cup over the Valley course on Sunday:

8.28 a.m. C. W. E. Bishop, L. Goldman
8.32 " G. H. Bond, W. Woodward
8.36 " K. S. Robertson, C. L. Tatham
8.40 " G. S. Archibut, H. U. Ireland
8.44 " J. B. Ross, E. W. G. Malcolm
8.48 " E. Lewis, C. Thwaites
8.52 " A. T. Bralley, A. MacFarlane
8.56 " T. C. Fairburn, H. T. Buxton
9.00 " A. W. Muir, A. J. MacFayden
9.04 " A. Sommerfeldt, D. J. Gilmore
9.08 " R. C. Webb, E. M. Bryden
9.12 " W. L. Alexander, J. Harrop
9.16 " F. H. Soames, D. S. Robb
9.20 " H. Hampton, W. Paterson

CHINESE STUDENTS FOR ABROAD

Canton To Select 10 Graduates

INDUSTRIAL CAREERS

(From Our Own Correspondent) Canton, To-day.

The Provincial Department of Education are to select 10 university graduates for higher studies in Europe and America. These scholarships will be awarded by competitive examination to be held from September 17 to 18.

Successful candidates will be sent to the United States, Great Britain, Germany, The Netherlands, France, and Switzerland. Holders of these scholarships are required to choose between chemical and mechanical engineering, irrigation, hydro-electrical engineering, and aviation. They cannot study law, medicine, or arts, because these men are wanted to assist in industrialising Canton after their return.

While the expenses allotted to each candidate has not yet been announced, the terms of study vary from three to five years. After completing their studies abroad, the students will be obliged to offer their services to the Government at a monthly salary of \$100 to \$200.

Among the subjects to be examined are Chinese, foreign languages, Kuomintang principles, science, and mathematics.

The provincial government is in need of skilled engineers for the operation of various industrial plants. It is significant that no students will be sent to Japan, whose universities are less expensive than those in the United States and Europe.

BABY ARIZMENDI BEATS BELLOSE

Featherweight Title Bout

CLEAR POINTS DECISION

New York, To-day.

Baby Arizmendi decisively outpointed the Italian-American, Mike Bellose, in a fight for the world's featherweight boxing championship here last night.—Reuter.

Arizmendi, in the opinion of the Madison Square Garden authorities is featherweight champion, despite the fact that his decision over Freddie Miller, National Boxing Commission title-holder, last year was a non-title one.

He, however, is undisputed California state featherweight champion.

The Mexican, a colourful figure in the ring has, since 1932, an amazingly fine record in America. His victims in the past two years have included such well known boxers as Fidel La Barba, Baby Palmore, Speedy Dado, Young Tommy, Chris Pineda, Freddie Miller, Tommy Paul, Varlas Milling, and many others.

Decision Dropped
In his last appearance this year, however, he dropped a 10-round decision to Tony Canzoneri, aggressive Italian-American fighter.

Prior to that appearance he registered a win over Mark Diaz, thus making his chain of victories over outstanding Filipino boxers a complete one.

Arizmendi's opponent, Mike Bellose, is a coming boxer, recently graduated from amateur ranks.

Bellose, 22 years old, was Olympic amateur champion in 1931 and, as a professional, participated in 22 bouts, up to the end of 1933, winning 19 and drawing 3. He lost one during his first two years in the ring.

Among those whom he has subdued are Pete Hayes, Kid Covelli, Pete DeGrasse, and Lew Farber. Hayes only recently sprang a surprise by beating Kid Chocolate, Cuban bon bon.

9.24 " J. Forbes, J. E. Richardson
9.28 " J. McKnight, W. S. Hillier
9.32 " D. S. Edward, G. B. S. Thompson
9.36 " Old couple if ready
9.40 " R. J. de Roda, J. W. Franks
9.44 " Old couple if ready
9.48 " A. R. Selby, J. E. Dovey
9.52 " Old couple if ready
9.56 " T. D. Fator, A. McKellar
Note:—The first pair to finish in the morning will start at 2.32 p.m. for the afternoon round, and subsequent players will book the first vacant time available on the starting list that will be posted in the Club House.



General Passenger Agents in the Orient for
Cunard White Star Line

SAN FRANCISCO via Shanghai, Japan Ports and Honolulu.
ASAMA MARU Monday 3rd Sept. at midnight
TAIYO MARU Sunday 16th Sept. at 1 a.m.
CHICHIBU MARU Wednesday, 3rd Oct. at 10 a.m.

SEATTLE & VANCOUVER.
HIYE MARU (starts from Kobe) Monday, 17th Sept. 1st Oct.
HEIAN MARU (starts from Kobe) Monday, 17th Sept. 1st Oct.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP & ROTTERDAM
SUWA MARU Saturday 1st Sept.
FUSHIMI MARU Saturday 15th Sept.
HAKOZAKI MARU Saturday 29th Sept.

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.
ATSUTA MARU Saturday, 22nd Sept.
KAMO MARU Saturday 27th Oct.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.
TOYAMA MARU Tuesday, 11th Sept.
HISBON MARU Friday, 28th Sept.
TANGO MARU Thursday, 11th Oct.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu.
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PROFESSOR'S SCHEME

A paper on witchcraft in the African section of the Anthropological Congress which was to have been read recently in London by Professor E. Evans-Pritchard, of the Sudan, who has been taken ill, was read by the Rev. Edwin W. Smith, who presided. Mr. Smith said that according to the notions of witchcraft in certain African tribes misfortune was due to witchcraft co-operating with natural forces.

Later, a scheme whereby witchcraft in Africa could be eradicated was propounded by Professor F. H. Melland (of Northern Rhodesia).

The one material aspect hitherto ignored by our Legislature, said Professor Melland, was not that the people were foolish, but simply that practically the whole population believed that everyone could be bewitched.

Explaining how he would deal with the witchcraft problem, Professor Melland said: "I would first of all say, 'Sorry we have been acting foolishly, and now we want to help you.'"

"I would register and license all the bona-fide witch doctors, by which I mean diviners, who are called in professionally in such cases and would with their assistance stamp out the unqualified practitioner who really only flourishes because of us."

"There is no need to say we believe in witchcraft. All we need do is to say officially and openly that we accept the native belief in them and that we are prepared to help him exorcise them. Thus would come co-operation, letting Christianity, education and many other things make great strides, for the drag would be taken off. Then, but not till then, can we use those forces to break down the belief."

MIDLAND'S PAGEANT NEXT MONTH

Historic Setting For English History

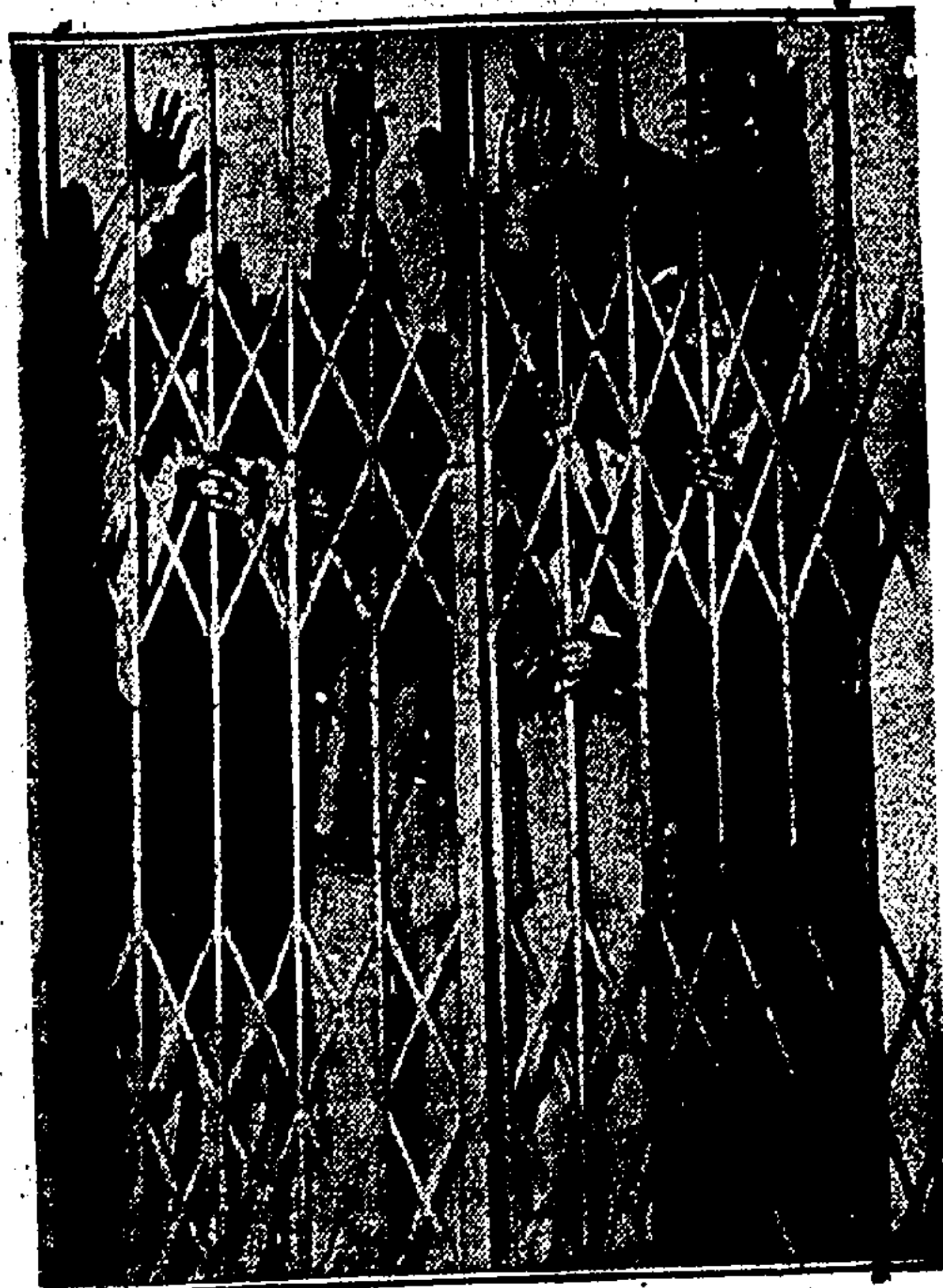
Six countries are collaborating to produce the Midlands Night Pageant and Tattoo, which will take place from September 2 to 27 in the grounds of the Oldwinford Hospital, Stourbridge.

The 1,000 performers will include some of the most eminent artists in the Midlands and many amateur leaders of local dramatic societies.

The scenes will be presented in the form of a living cinema film, while an explanatory narrative will be broadcast.

Oldwinford Hospital, which will be the background of the pageant, was founded in 1667 and its beautiful interior is believed to have been designed by Sir Christopher Wren.

The episodes include scenes typical of King Arthur, the Canterbury pilgrims, Queen Elizabeth, Shakespeare, the Napoleonic Wars, and other great events in British history.



Crowding the prison bars at a Madrid gaol, these arrested Fascists are giving the salute of their organization. They were arrested during a raid on the headquarters of the Spanish Fascists and were charged with having held a meeting without permission. Police who searched the building reported the seizure of some pistols and arms.

FRACTION LOSSES ON WALL STREET

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"Favourable factors before the opening of the market were:— (1) Incentive is lacking, but it is believed that the market is in a position readily to respond to any constructive news. (2) There has been some slight increase in car-loading figures.

Unfavourable factors were:— (1) The inability of professional issues to attract a larger following induces discouraged selling. (2) The textile strike is considered a virtual certainty. (3) Business surveys continue to indicate recessions.

Bank clearings for the week amounted to \$3,644,000,000, compared with \$3,912,000,000 for the same week in last year.

Brokers' Loans for the week amount to \$798,000,000. Steel operations at Chicago have dropped by 2 points to 28 per cent. of capacity.

The National Biscuit Company has declared its regular dividend of 50 cents.

The Jones-Laughlin Steel Corporation has placed its salaried employees on a 5-day week, with a corresponding reduction in pay and other Steel Companies are expected to fall in line with this arrangement.

The Guaranty Trust Company is shipping \$1,800,000 worth of Gold to Europe on the S.S. "Paris" to-day.

The market is easy and losses are mostly confined to minor fractions. With inflation talk set at rest, at least for the time being, and the labour situation very disturbing, the immediate outlook is somewhat obscure and a moderate setback will not be surprising.

The U.S. Steel Corp. has announced the elimination of Saturday work for all salaried employees, effective as from September 1st, involving a salary-cut of practically 10 per cent. The Republic Steel Corp. and the Youngstown Sheet & Tube Co. have taken similar action, resulting in approximately a reduction of 9 per cent. in salaries.

E. A. Pierce Co.'s Report. In their market report, the American Oriental Finance Corporation, correspondents for Messrs. E. A. Pierce and Company, New York state:

"Stocks: The action of the market is still not reassuring. Wheat: The market seemed to derive most of its strength from corn. A fair measure of support was apparent from Winnipeg. There was considerable comment on the possibility of liberal amounts of wheat being used to feed live stock this season. Crop comments from Australia are unfavourable while Argentine advices indicate a crop around the average.

"Cotton: There was hedging and general realising on strike news and a weaker Sterling exchange. Trade buying was not large enough to absorb offerings except on declines.

"Rubber: This market opened strong on the strength of the London market. Prices held steady until Sterling began to drop this after-

YANKEES WIN OVER SENATORS

Detroit Troupe Braves In U.S. Baseball

New York, To-day. New York Yankees trounced Washington Senators, 1933 American league champions, in the major league baseball yesterday by an 8 to 2 tally.

Detroit Tigers, leaders of the American League, beat Boston Braves by a 6 to 1 margin, Kobell hitting a circuit clout.

There were no other games decided. Results, as cabled by Reuter, were:

American League		R.	H.	E.
Detroit		6	13	
Kogell	hit a homer.			
Boston		1	7	
Averill	hit a homer.			
Washington		2	5	
Sewell	hit a homer.			
New York		8	12	

COCKTAIL MENACE TO WOMEN

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CHASTITY ON DECREASE

The cocktail habit among better-class women was vigorously condemned by Dame Louise McIlroy, Professor of Obstetrics at the Royal Free Hospital, when she addressed the International Conference on Alcoholism at the Imperial Institute recently.

They used to have the gin-drinking char-woman, she said, and when they saw women drinking gin in public-houses they held up their hands in holy horror. Yet they themselves had probably come from a cocktail party, where they had been drinking gin in a beautiful drawing-room.

"Tea parties have gone completely out of fashion among fashionable people," Dame Louise continued. "In their place have come the five-to-seven cocktail parties: I am afraid that the habit will grow, and will permeate the lower classes. The charlady will be able to report that it must be all right for her to drink gin, because her mistress does so."

She would like to see an energetic temperance campaign among the young women of the West-end. They should be invited to join a league which prohibited the use of alcohol.

Chastity in women was nowadays on the decrease. This was traceable very largely, directly or indirectly, to drink.

Dealers and Commission Houses were both buyers and sellers of September option.

"Brokers' Loans for the week have decreased by \$17,000,000.

"All American and Canadian markets will be closed on Monday, September 3 (Labour Day)."—Reuter.

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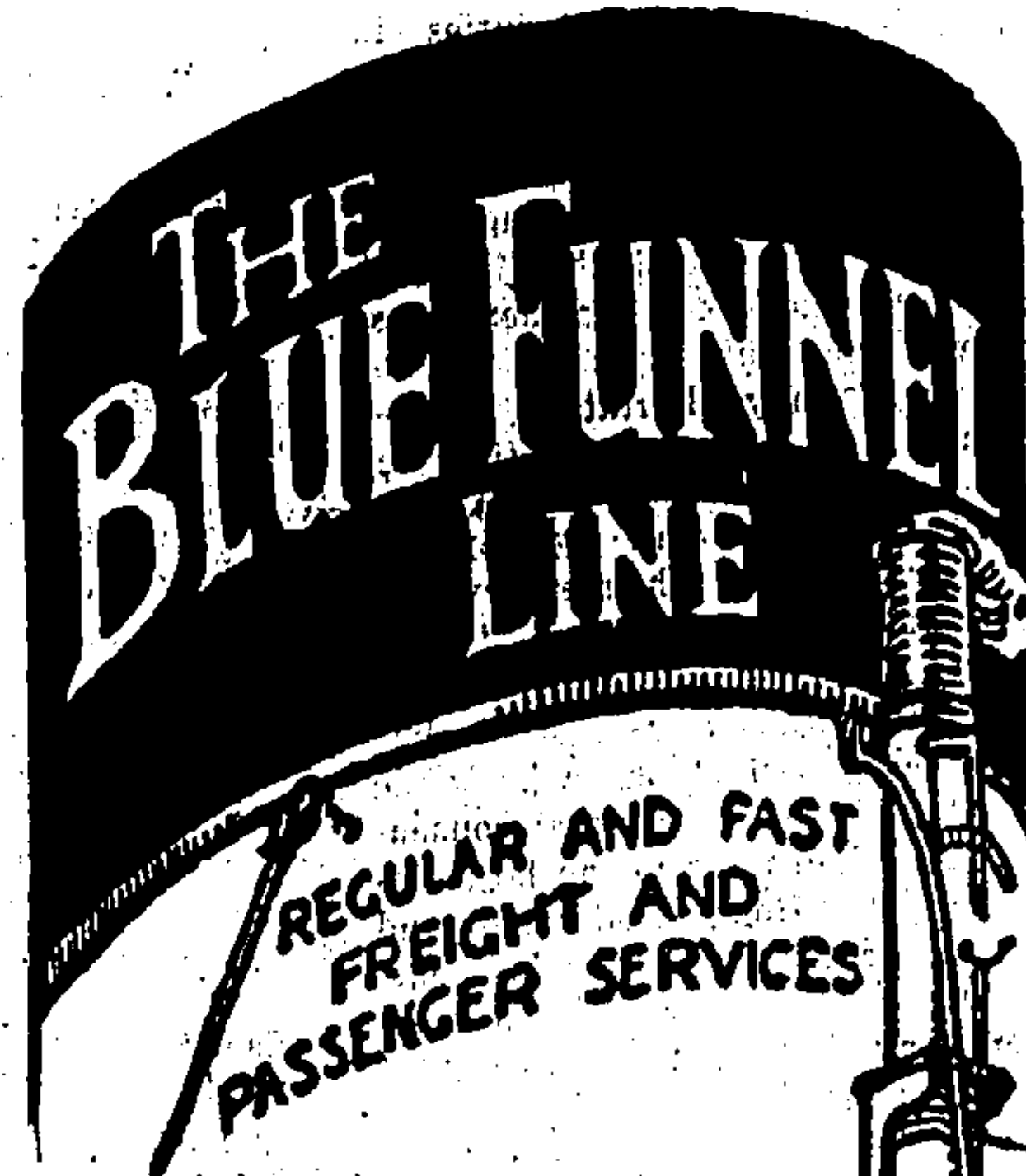
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1934.			
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"NEW DEAL" PARTY EMBARRASSMENT

(Continued from Page 1)

Mr. Sinclair's final figure in the primaries was 310,652, which was almost 130,000 more than his nearest Democrat opponent and 30,000 more than polled by the Republican candidate who will oppose him in the election of California in November.—Reuter.

OUTSTANDING FAVOURITE
Sinclair is registered as a Democrat and is an outstanding favourite. He made a spectacular primary speech to "End Poverty in California," and is pledged to free Thomas serving a life sentence in San Quentin Prison.

George Creel is about the only gubernatorial candidate not bandied against Sinclair. Creel is a life-long Democrat, also a noted writer, and has waged his campaign along regular "New Deal" lines. He is regarded as one of Sinclair's strongest opponents. It has been variously hinted that Creel's candidacy has President Roosevelt's blessing. Creel was Woodrow Wilson's director of public information during the world war.

LEAVES SOCIALISTS
Sinclair caused a sensation some months ago when he registered as a Democrat after withdrawing from the Socialist party, in which he has been a political leader for years. Opponents claim this was purely political strategy, that Sinclair was "out after the reflected glory and present popularity of the Democratic party."

Sinclair's plan includes a much-discussed provision for placing unemployed on farms which are taken by the state for failure to pay taxes. In cities, closed factories and shops would be opened and unemployed put at productive labour. The labourers would produce the goods, the farmers the food, and a system of exchange would be employed.

"END POVERTY IN CALIFORNIA"
"Our slogan is 'End Poverty in California,'" he said. "We intend to give 1,250,000 acres to the means of production, in order that they may produce everything they intend to consume—of course insofar as these things can be produced in California."

"In the emergency we will start upon a rental basis, getting the use of the land and factories from persons who are no longer able to make productive use of them."

"We think it is not irrational to assume that Americans know how to produce goods, and they will produce goods if they are given the opportunity, plus the assurance they will own the goods and be permitted to exchange them among themselves and thus consume what they want."

"I am interested only in the doing of a job," he explains. "If I did not feel absolutely certain I could do this job, I would not become governor at a salary of \$1,000,000 a year."

COMMUNIST TENDENCY
Opponents claim Sinclair belongs to communist organisations.

They brand his plan as the idea of a crack-brained visionary. They cite passages from his books purporting to show he favours confiscation of industrial plants "to be run as one planned enterprise for the benefit of the whole people."

His plan has also been characterized as "a perversion and prostitution of the new deal." Observers predicted a close race between Sinclair and Creel for the Democratic nomination with Sinclair favoured.

CHINESE MODEL FOR TORONTO

Declared Made In
200 A.D.

Toronto.—The model of a Chinese compound, executed in pottery, which is to be added to the East Asiatic collection at the Royal Ontario Museum here, is said by Bishop W. C. White, keeper of the collection and Chinese authority, to date back to A.D. 200.

It was discovered in an ancient tomb in China, and is very similar to compounds of many Chinese villages to-day, Bishop White contended. Miniature models of the houses of the estate, of attendants and animals belonging to the compound are included.

Chickens, geese, ducks, goat, dog, cow, calf, and a horse with saddle and stirrups are among the articles.

TENNIS GAMBLE THAT CAME OFF

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selection the following season, our chances in 1931 did not seem to be any too rosy, especially as Lee would also be unable to play on account of an important examination towards the end of the year.

Of course, the pessimists were on hand as usual, but it must be admitted that they had some good reasons for their views.

However, miracles do happen sometimes, and we had to hope for one if we were to be able to produce a good side for the 1931 campaign!

We had only Austin and Hughes available, so two more players had to be unearthed somehow. During the winter months two sides were sent on tour—one to India and the other as far afield as South America. The latter took place after the usual tour to the United States.

Given A Chance
Harold Lee was selected for both these tours, which meant that he would be away for some six months.

The association announced that he would be accompanied on both tours by F. J. Perry, so they had decided to take the bull by the horns and give me the chance to prove myself and improve my game by experience abroad!

They had, indeed, taken a great risk—but, fortunately, it worked, though it was somewhat lucky at the time.

My results in the States had not been good, and my spirits were rather damped by the sight of the amazing tennis played by the Americans.

However, L. A. Godfree, our captain, and Lee came to my aid, and spent many hours in practice with me. They bucked me up and concentrated on my weakest shots, with the result that I made up my mind to try to repay their confidence in me by winning my place in the Davis Cup team for 1931.

When Chance Came
It was during our Argentine trip that the great chance came along. Lee was unlucky enough to sprain an ankle in the semi-final round against E. C. Peters, who captained the team, and so Peters and myself fought out the final.

The advice and help given by Mr. Godfree and Lee in the States had begun to show effect, and, to everyone's amazement, I defeated Peters and became Argentine champion!

That win worked wonders with my game, and its effect was really startling. During the trials of 1931 in April Austin defeated me in the last match, and the side was chosen as Austin, Hughes, Kingsley and myself.

Although Hughes and I had not seen each other before (I was no good at all some two years before!), we appeared to combine well together and were selected for the doubles.

The L.T.A.'s gamble had come off, and I had "made the grade" after all. But our side was definitely a "mighty" team when we started out in April.

Mr. Roper Barrett, our captain, spent much of his valuable time in moulding us into a side and binding the side with a strong team spirit—and that is why we succeeded!

Beyond Expectation
Too much was not expected of us, and all our victories were hailed with delight because they were not expected beforehand.

We sailed along serenely with wins over Monaco, Belgium, South Africa, and Japan before Wimbledon. These wins placed us in the European Zone final, in which we met and defeated Czechoslovakia, and thus qualified to meet America in Paris.

Of course, we had no chance—at least our chances didn't seem bright—but we managed to pull through by 3-2, mainly due to marvellous displays by Austin, who won two singles. We just failed against France in the Challenge Round, but our defeat was indeed covered with glory.

Hopes for a victory in 1932 ran very high, particularly as Lee was able to return to the side.

We started quite well with wins against Rumania and Poland, and entered the match against Germany with confidence. Here we suffered a severe blow, as we were

unexpectedly defeated on the centre court of the Red White Club in Berlin.

Undaunted
Critics started all over again; we were no good, and never would be. Our performances of the previous year were regarded as flukes, and the gamble had failed.

But we were undaunted, and made up our minds to make lawn tennis history in 1933. As we had failed so miserably in 1932, some people were rather sceptical about our chances, and so didn't expect too much of us.

This was greatly in our favour, as our victories were again regarded as possibilities instead of certainties, and were hailed with delight when they arrived.

We went steadily through the European Zone by victories over Spain, Finland, Italy, and Czechoslovakia, and then defeated Australia in the zone final at Wimbledon after a terrific battle.

We had won through in much the same fashion as in 1931, and hopes of victory ran high, as we had again cemented our side with the same great team spirit that had helped us so much two years previously.

Champion Nation

To make matters better, we had kept the same team for two years and three of us had been together for three years, so we knew each other extremely well and had gained confidence in our abilities!

We gained a great victory over the Americans, and then attained our ambition by defeating France at the second attempt. The gamble of the winter of 1930 and the faith placed in our side by the Association in keeping to the same players had succeeded admirably.

And so we find ourselves the champion lawn tennis nation, and we can enter our third challenge round in four years with every confidence. May 1934 bring us the same good fortune as last year.

WOOD MOVED DURING MEASURE

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It is doubtful if Randle ever bowled better, and, with Hall blocking and drawing well, it will be understood how well Bradbury had to bowl to keep the home rink in check.

He well deserved the applause he was accorded.

W. Macfarlane's defeat was largely due to the fact that he did not make sufficient use of his two woods. Time after time he called to his number 3 to "be up," yet immediately afterwards fell short himself.

Doubtful Head

The most interesting head of the afternoon was the 20th, head on the first green. The games on the other greens had finished, and when Duncan rolled up the jack for the next head the scores "all round" stood level. Kowloon's two players bowled on the forehand and Craigengower, on the backhand.

The woods took up positions with Kowloon lying one side of the jack and Craigengower lying 3 shots up on the other. Randle with his last wood cut the Jack beyond Kowloon's woods to give his rink a lay of four, but Rumlahn, having a clear draw, bowled well and took the shot. Hall failed to alter the lay. Bradbury then drew well and regaled the jack to make his rink two up. Again Hall failed to alter the lay.

With his last wood Bradbury attempted another draw, and though it appeared that his wood was third shot, it was so difficult to measure by eye that Rumlahn obtained a tape to measure it accurately.

It happened though that as Randle removed the wood that was resting the Jack, the latter moved slightly. Rumlahn, seeing it move, refused to measure, and appealed to his skip. On hearing what had happened Bradbury immediately cried "I claim 3 shots."

Mr. Hall, and after a little discussion as to the "rights" and "wrongs" of the case Craigengower

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SAN SEBASTIAN HIT

There is to be no roulette here again this year.

The San Sebastian Corporation asked the Government for permission to run roulette tables in the once famous Casino this season—but the Cabinet has turned down their request.

Immense sums have been sent by the local authorities on tourist propaganda and the Government's decision has caused much disappointment. Without the tables, it is felt, the town cannot hope to rival Biarritz as one of Europe's most popular playgrounds.

In the days of the Monarchy, San Sebastian was noted as the place where celebrities from all over the world gathered to play in the Perla Casino. King Alfonso personally supervised the establishment of gaming tables.

General Primo de Rivera, erstwhile dictator of Spain, was the man who abolished gambling here.

In reply to protest at his action, the General declared that a room in his house was papered with letters of congratulation from wives whose husbands had been ruined at the tables.

chalked up 8 points.

Kowloon Unlucky
On the next head Kowloon were most unfortunate in not forcing a draw. They were lying 12 when Hall cut in one of his opponent's woods for the shot.

That virtually ended the match, for although he still had one wood, it was more than he could do to cut the shot out. Craigengower won by the four shots scored on the last two heads.

Talkie Talks

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This is easily one of the most successful comedy dramas of the year, and should not be missed. The director, Roy del Ruth also deserves some of the credit for an enjoyable and unusual film (Alhambra).

"Must See" List

If you have not seen the adorable new sensation baby star Shirley Temple ("Stand up and Cheer") you are in for a treat when she comes in "Little Miss Marker." She literally steals the show from old-timers like Adolphe Menjou and Charles Bickford.

Pretty talented Dorothy Dell aged nineteen, who was recently killed in a car smash, proved again, as she did in "Wharf Angel" that she was destined for big things. Also be it noted we shall see the Columbia release which enhances the reputation of three people, Frank Capra the director, Claudette Colbert and Clark Gable in "It Happened One Night." All to be on your "Must See" list. (King's).

I strongly advise you seeing George White's "Scandals." Rudy Vallee, Alice Faye, and Adrienne Ames are a few among the large cast, but it is the magnificence of the production, with its innumerable lovely girls, catchy songs, and dances that make this worth seeing.

This will be followed by Fay Wray and Nils Asther in "Madam Spy"—just another spy story. I liked Sylvia Sydney and Fredric March in the story of carnival life "Good Dame," which is well acted by two really likeable people. All coming to the Majestic.

"Strictly Dynamite" has a lengthy cast of good artists who work hard in a story that counts for 1934. Jimmy Durante, Lupe Velez, Norman Foster, Marian Nixon, William Gargan, and Sterling Holloway, who takes the honours, are in the cast. (King's).

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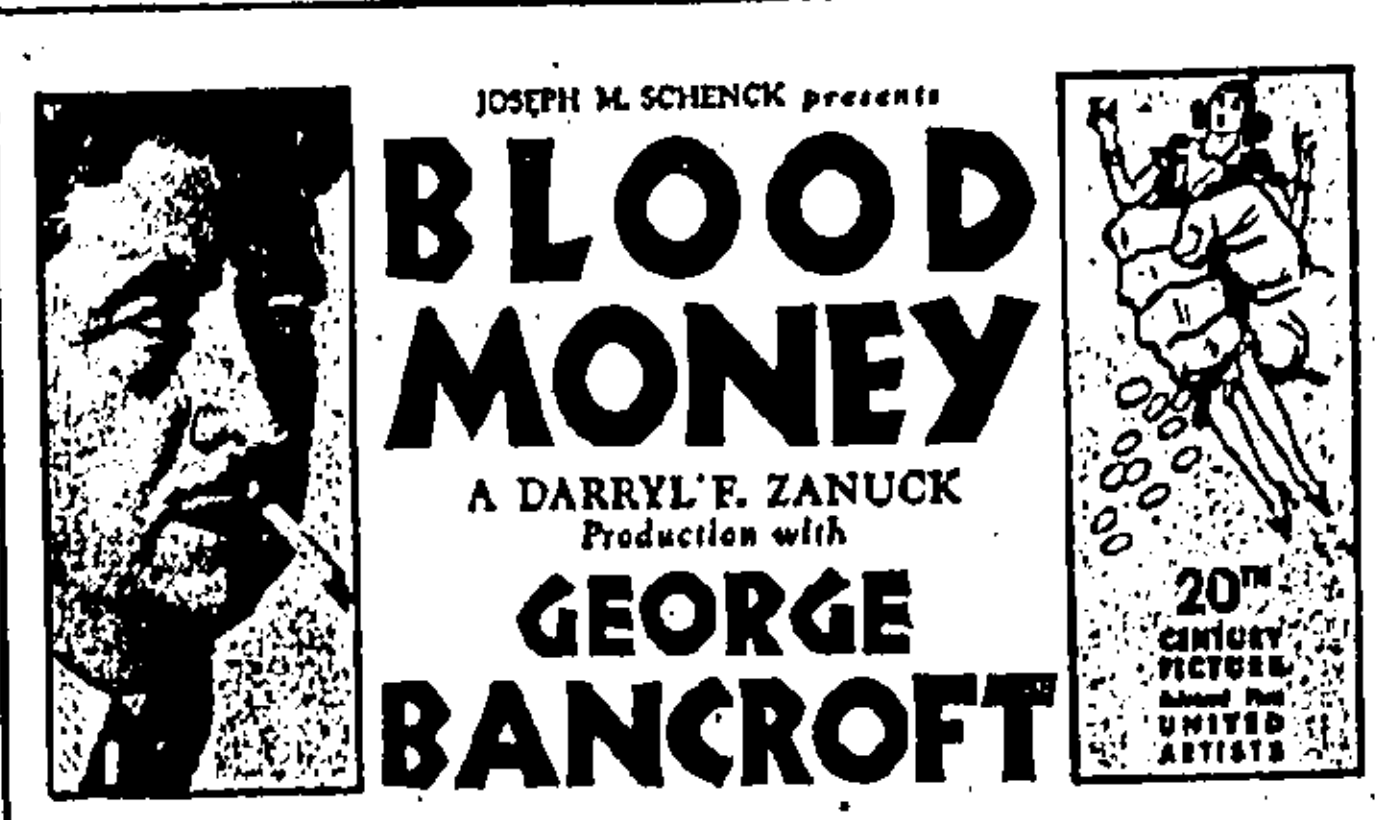
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RECOVERY OF OIL MARKET

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New York, To-day.

A bigger market for oils is expected soon.

The Standard Oil Companies during 1934 put through September paid cash dividends of U.S.\$101,537,187, compared with \$86,480,465 during the nine months in 1933.

The Stock Exchange has listed 15,375,175 shares of the Standard Oil Company of Indiana, formerly quoted on the Curb Exchange.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

LEADING GERMANY OUT OF THE MIRE

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If these conditions were guaranteed by an international agreement, then a critical obstacle to world trade recovery would be removed.—Reuter.

Clearing Arrangement By Sweden

SAFEGUARDING EXPORTERS

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1894. Received August 31, 11.12 a.m.)

Stockholm, To-day.—Sweden has reached a clearing arrangement with Germany whereby all direct payments to Germany are prohibited.

They must pass through a clearing house in order to safeguard Swedish exporters. The order also applies to Renten, Dawes, Young and Kreuger loans.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

U.S. COTTON STRIKE

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Secondly, the maintenance of pay based on 40-hour a week.

Thirdly, Union recognition.

The Union officials predict a record walk-out in which case North and South Carolina, Georgia, and Massachusetts will bear the brunt, as they contain half of the nation's mills.

The owners predict an apathetic response, especially in New England.

Mr. Gorman said that the strike affects only cotton and textile industry workers. Wool, silk, rayon and synthetic yarn workers will stand by for further orders.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

CODE CANNOT BE AMENDED

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The Government is considering the appointment of a neutral commission to inquire into the fundamental causes of the strike and to frame recommendations for settlement.

The stoppage threatens to be protracted. The Textile Union lacks funds, but the men count on Federal emergency relief for support. Mill-owners have two months' stock in hand, and have not yet objected to the curtailment of production.—Reuter.

"VIOLENT NOT PLANNED"

(Continued from Page 1)

"We have instructed the workers to be orderly and not to associate with Communists and also to stamp down Communist uprisings when they occur," he said.

Mr. Hopkins said that the Federal relief promised the needy strikers was withdrawable if the Labour Relations Board or the Labour Secretary, Miss Frances Perkins, rules the walk out unjustified.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

STEEL CUTS AFFECT 20,000

Saturday Work Now Eliminated

SPECIAL TO CHINA MAIL.

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New York, To-day.

The United States Steel Corporation has announced that effective from to-morrow they are eliminating Saturday work for salaried employees.

This involves a salary decrease of 10 per cent., affecting 20,000 out of 130,000 employees and saves the company U.S.\$2,400,000 a year.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

TOLPUDDLE MARTYRS

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Parliament and elsewhere were raised and free pardons were granted before the sentences expired.

This week's labour celebrations to mark the beginning of the Trade Union movement include the dedication of six cottages at Tolpuddle for aged workers, erected by the Trades Union Congress and the unveiling of a memorial in the village church—British Wireless Service.

GERMAN-AMERICAN RIFT

(Continued from Page 1.)

U.S. DISSATISFACTION Washington, To-day.—It is learned that the United States is definitely dissatisfied with Germany's recent note outlining the position in regard to payments of Young and Dawes bonds.—United Press, per S. E. Levy and Company.

Chinese newspapers will observe Journalists' Day in China to-morrow. Although the Colony Chinese journals will continue publication as usual, some newspapers in Chinese cities will suspend publication for a day.

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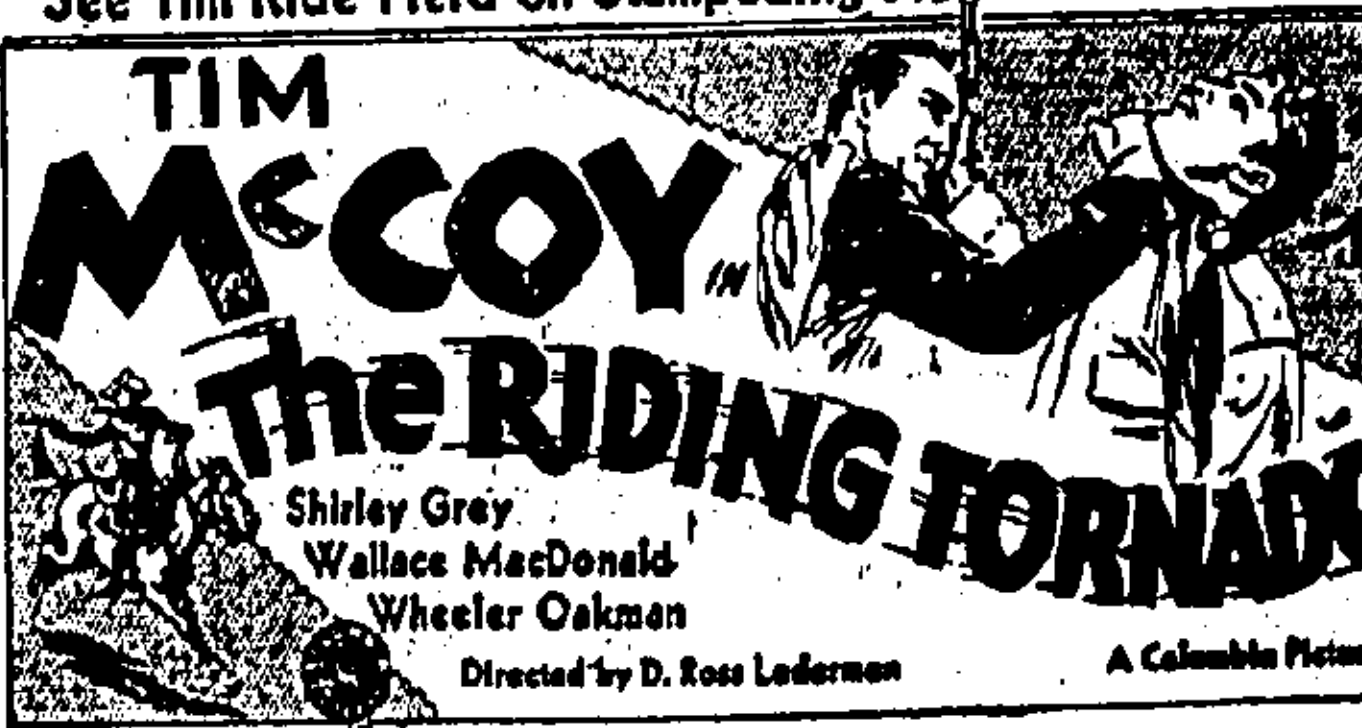
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